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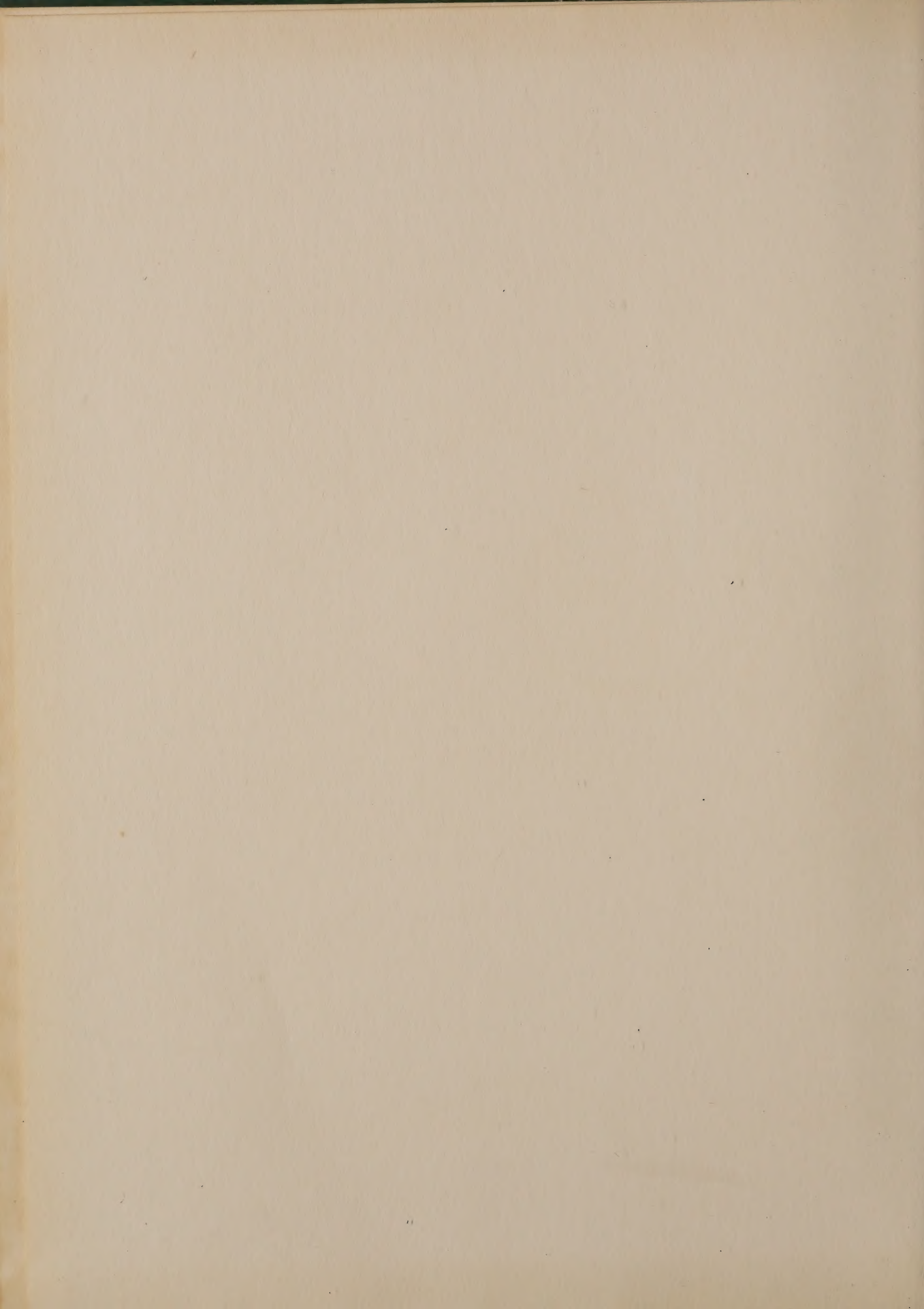


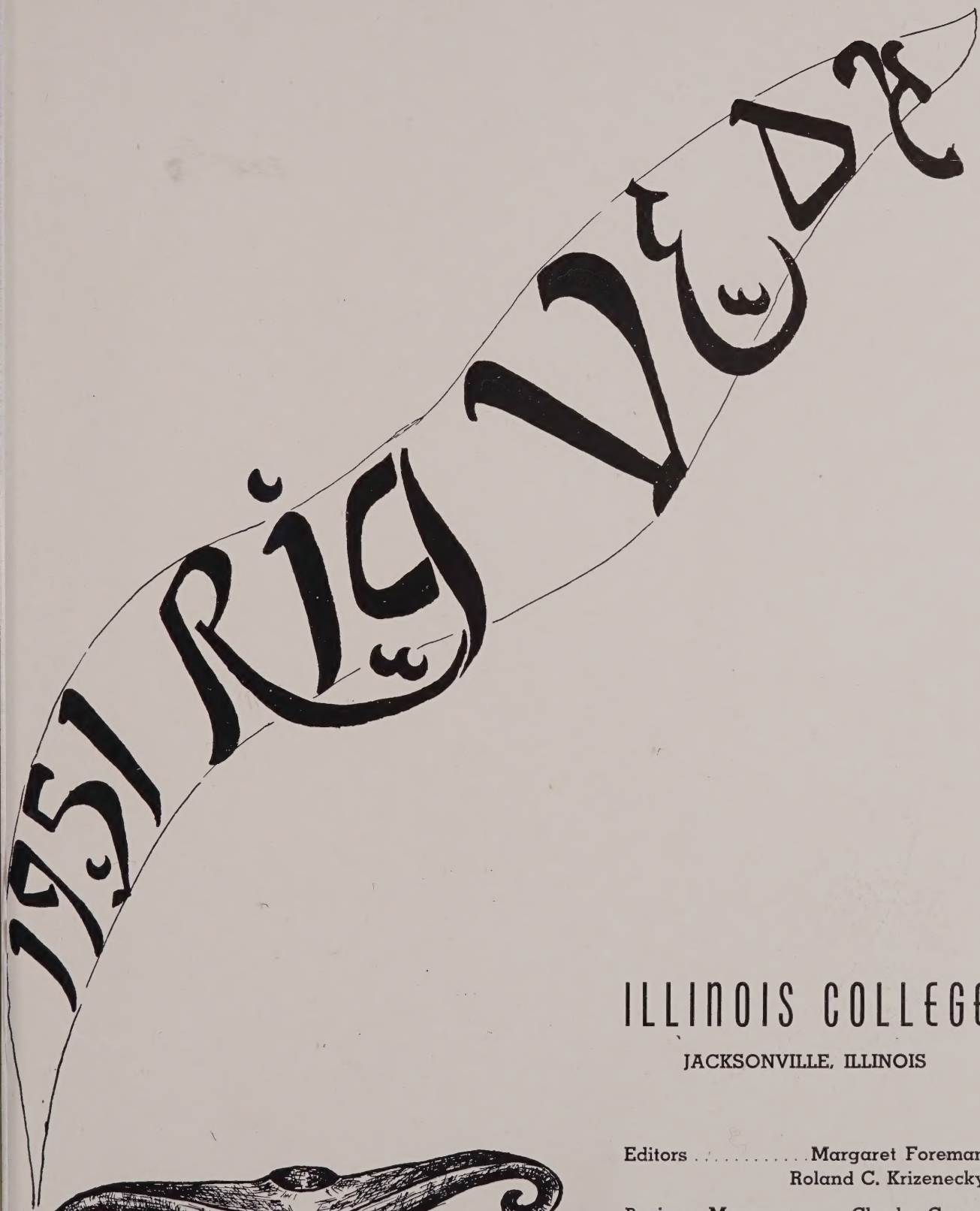
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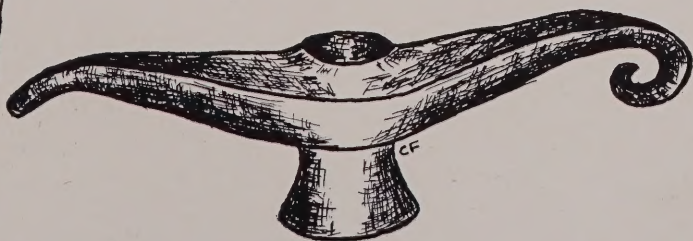


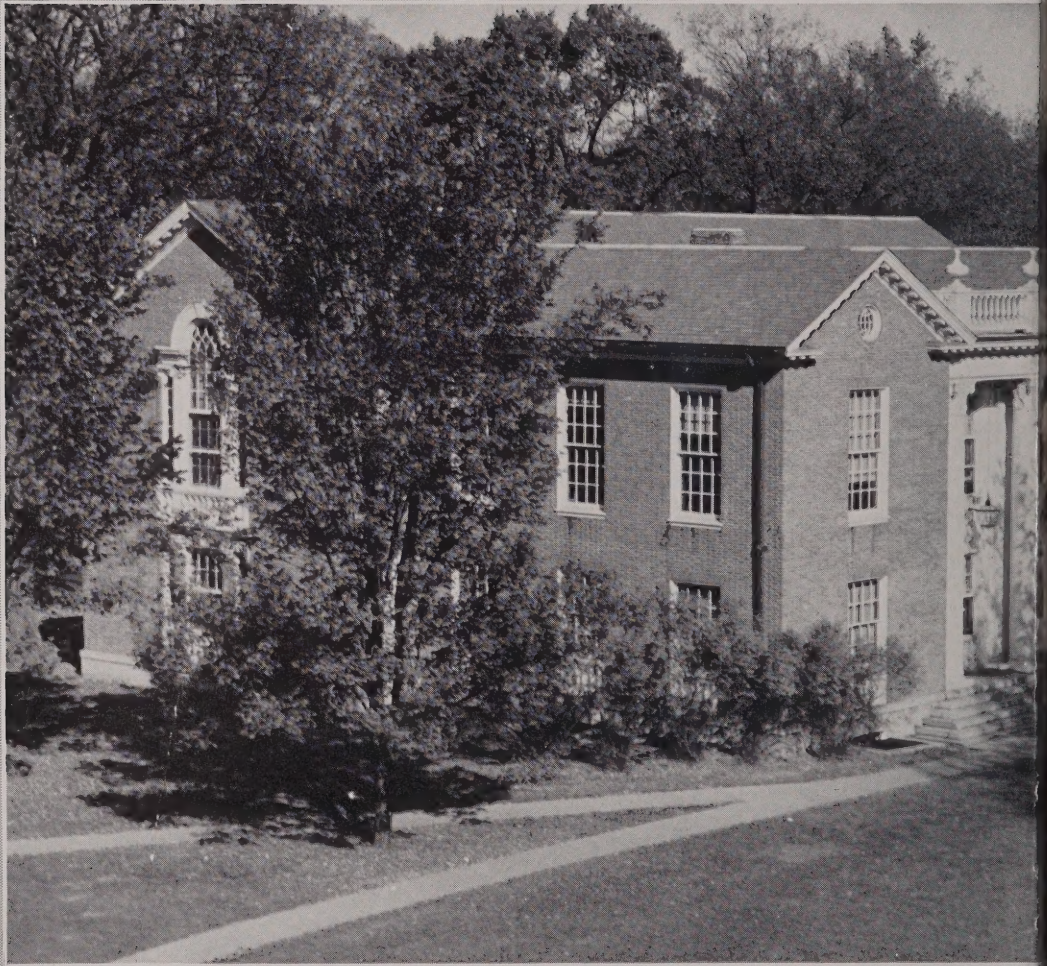
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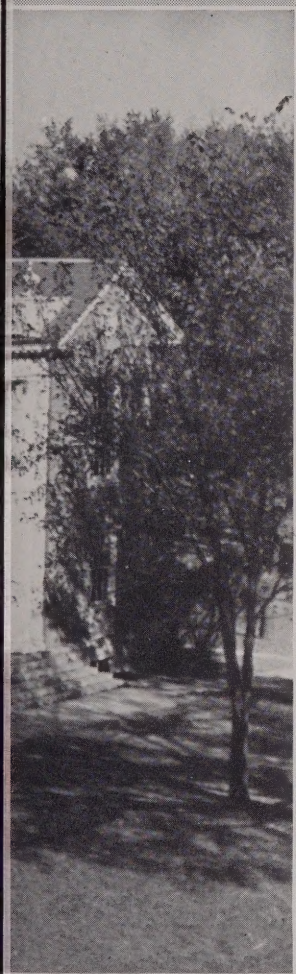
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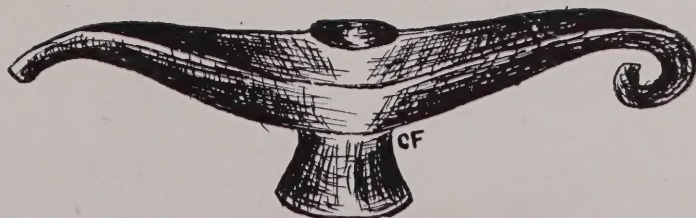


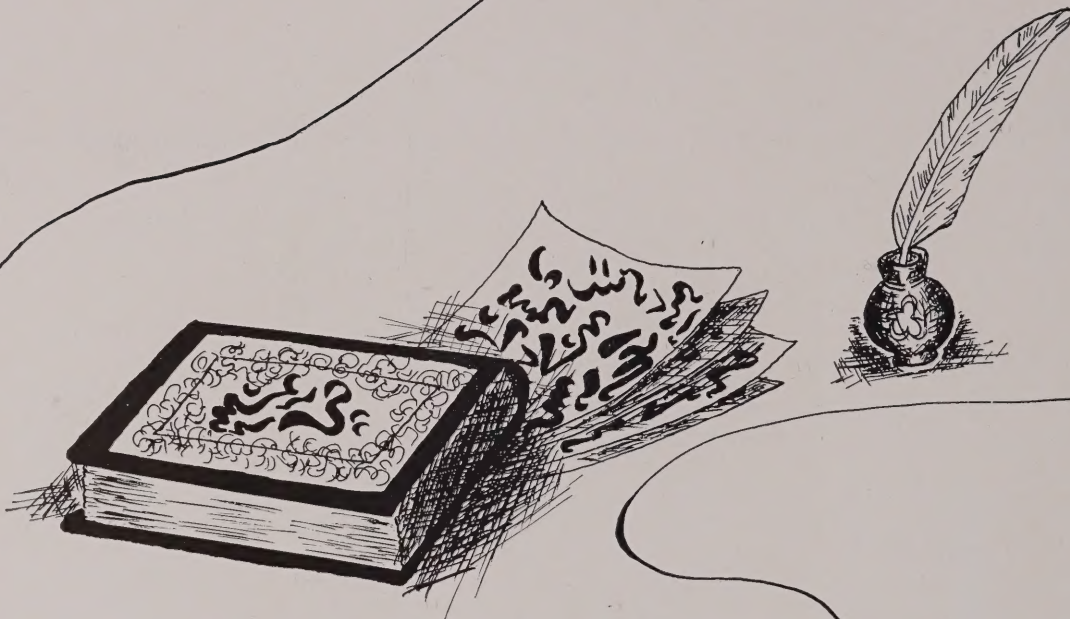




RIG VEDA . . .

What more fitting theme for the Illinois College yearbook than the classic tradition of the ancient Hindus? Deriving its name from the ancient Hindu "Book of Life," the Rig Veda chronicles the traditions and customs of Illinois College. Once again we too return to the halls of ancient India.





To the six members of the Faculty who have faithfully and conscientiously served the college community for twenty years or more, we fondly dedicate this book:

Willis DeRyke

Earle B. Miller

Eleanor Olmstead Miller

Joe Patterson Smith

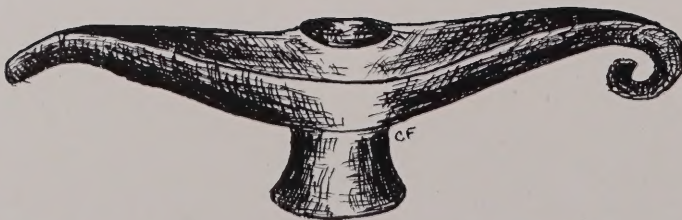
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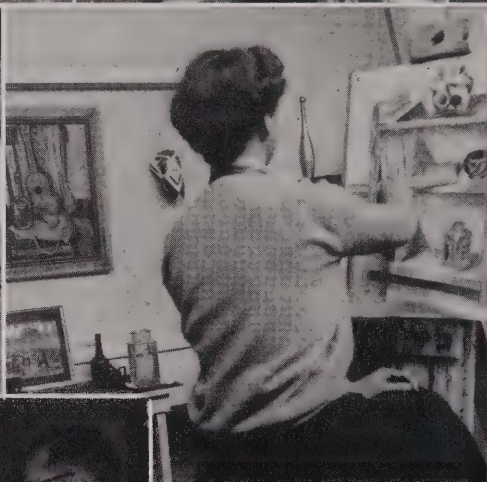
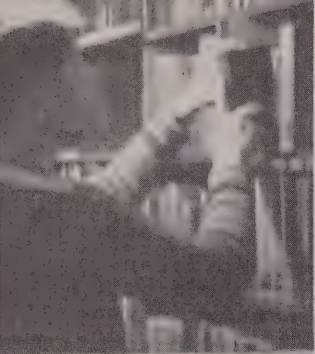
*Up from Earth's Centre through the Seventh Gate
I rose, and on the Throne of Saturn sate,
And many a Knot unravel'd by the Road;
But not the Master-knot of Human Fate.*

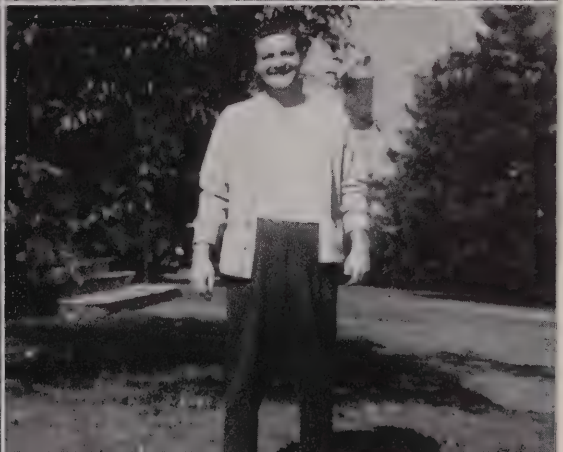


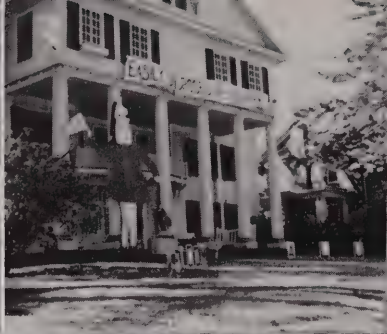


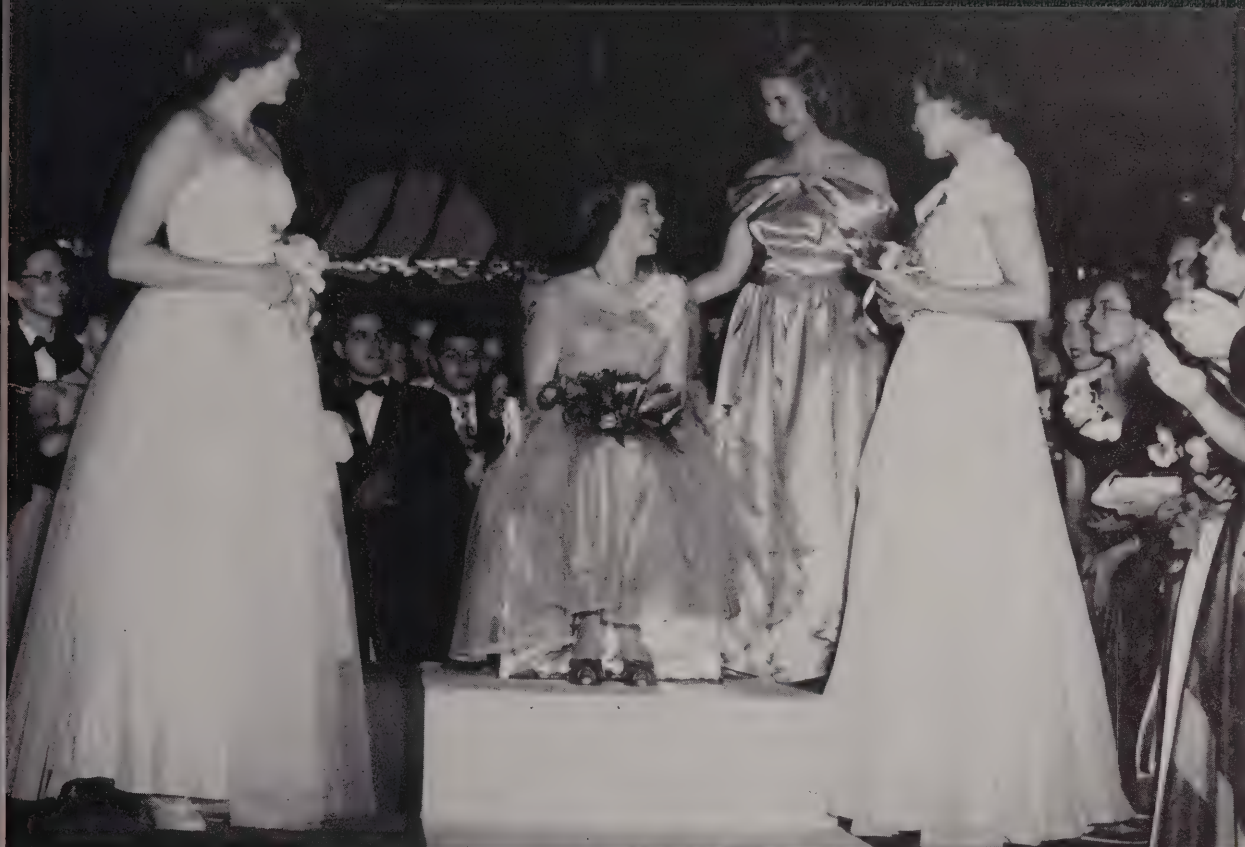
THE COLLEGE

*Strange, is it not? that of the myriads who
Before us pass'd the door of Darkness through,
Not one returns to tell us of the Road,
Which to discover we must travel too.*









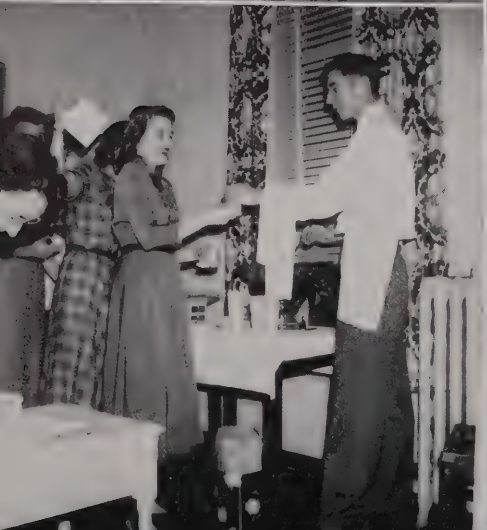
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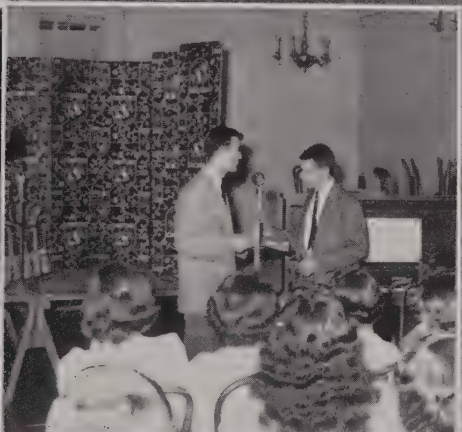


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Miss Nancy Munk
Attendant









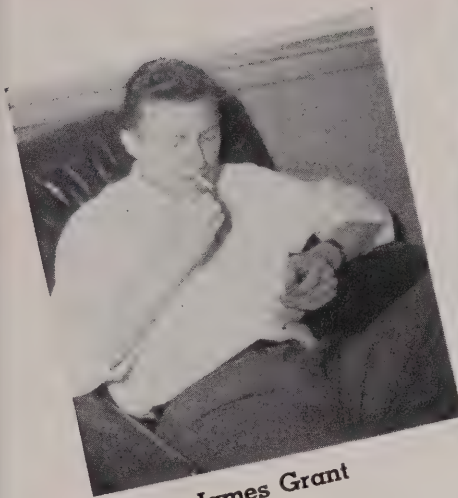


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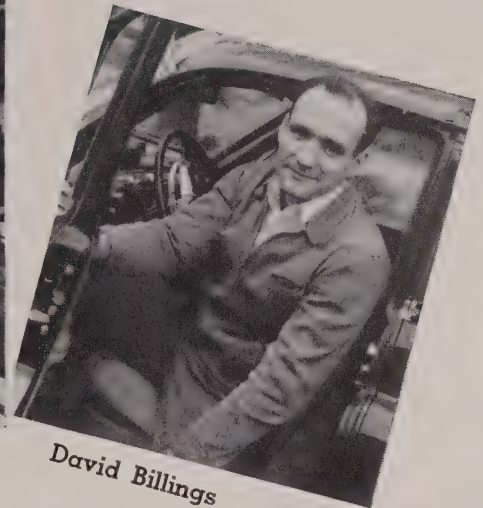




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WHO'S WHO

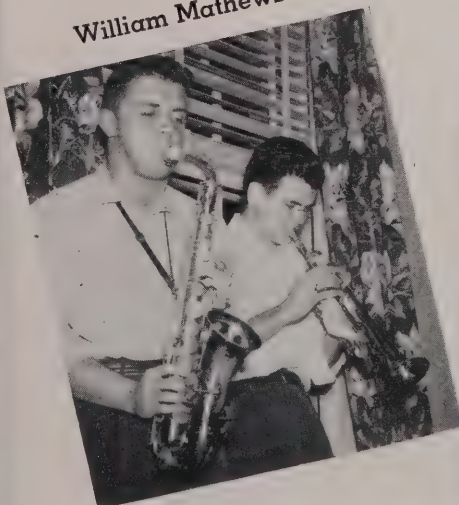


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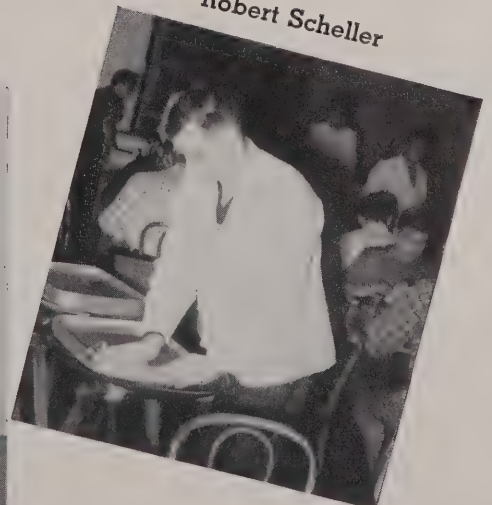
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North Crampton Hall

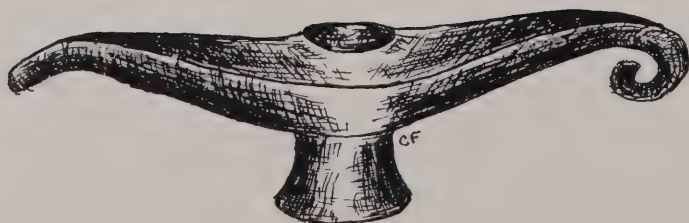
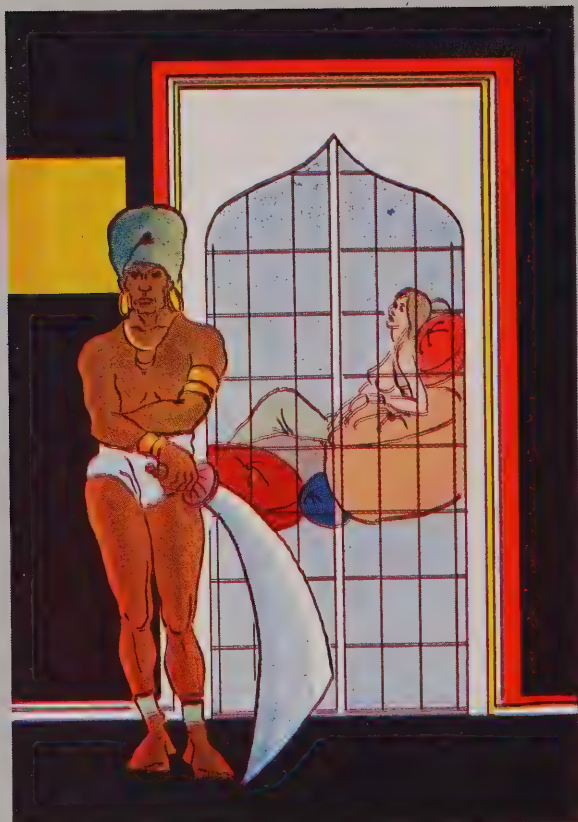
Russel House
Mrs. Reid, Housemother

South Crampton Hall
Mrs. McCarty, Housemother

Fayerweather House—Miss Melton, Housemother







PEOPLE

There was a Door to which I found no Key:

There was a Veil past which I could not see:

Some little Talk awhile of ME and THEE

There seemed — and then no more of THEE and ME.



HARRIS GARY HUDSON, Ph.D., LL.D.

PRESIDENT

A.B., James Millikin University
M.A., University of Oxford
Ph.D., University of Chicago
LL.D., Blackburn College
President, 1937—

Greetings to you who will open this book! You will find here recorded in picture and word the splendid achievements of this year at Illinois College which has seen among many noteworthy events the renovation of "Old Beecher" and the construction of the new gymnasium. If this book will call to your mind memories of warm friendships and happy days it will have served its purpose well.

H. Gary Hudson.

DEANS

Ernest G. Hildner, Jr., Dean

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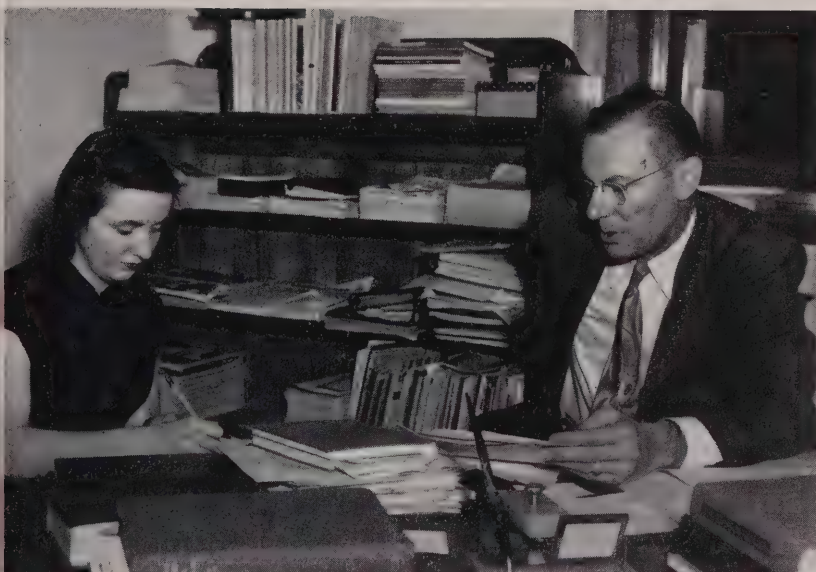
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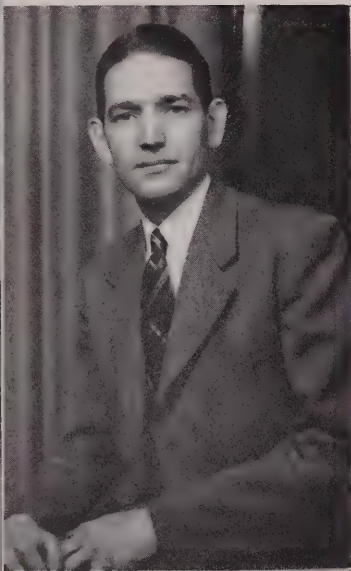
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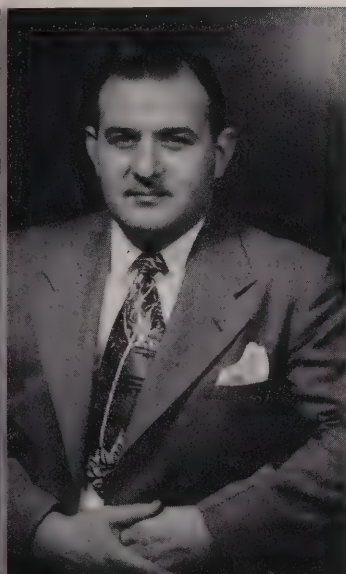
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Instructor in Fine Arts



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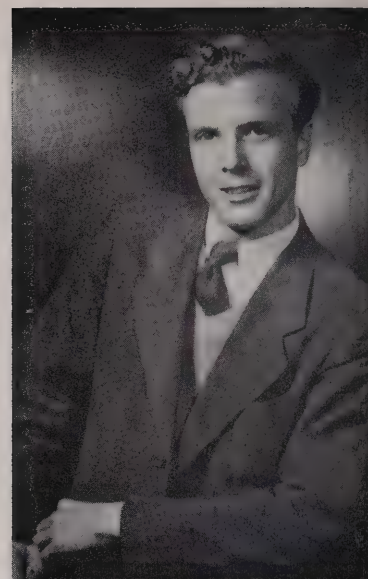
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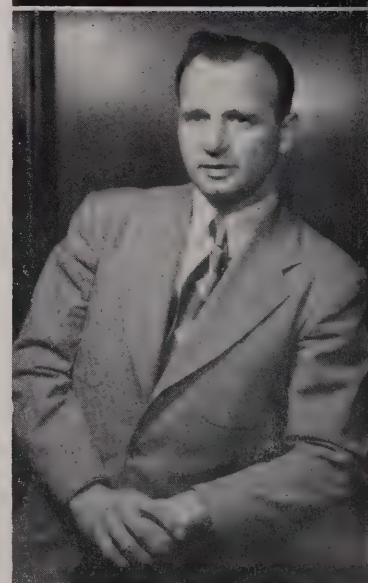
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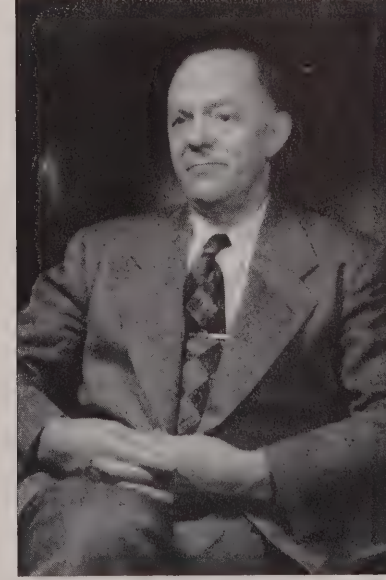
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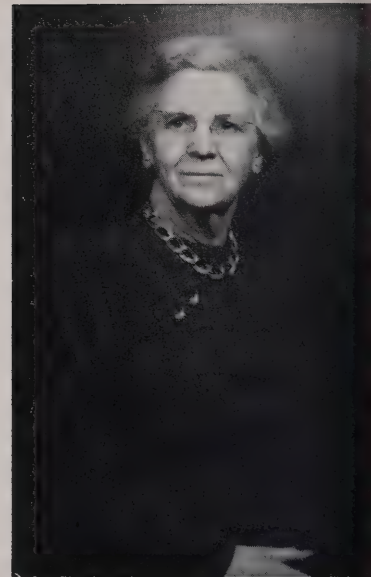


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Instructor in Spanish



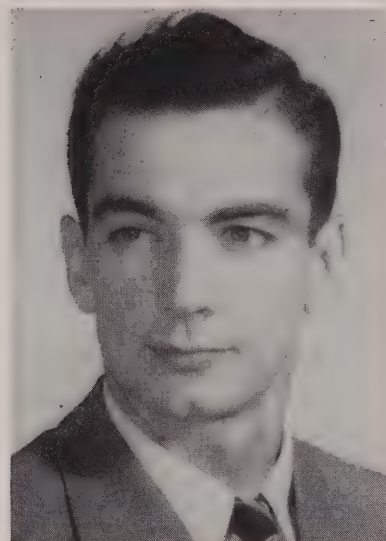
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John Shup Wright, Ph.D.
Professor of Government

SENIOR CLASS

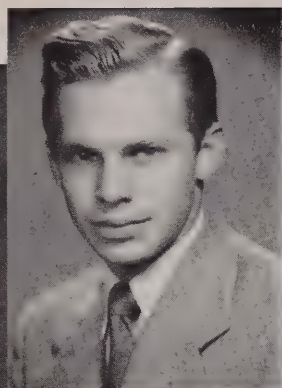


Robert Grove
Senior Class President

The members of the class of 1951 found themselves called to assume a dual role. As college students, they have actively participated in all campus activities to make their last year of college life most successful. At the same time, as adult citizens, they have indicated a readiness to assume their just share of responsibility in the troubled world of today.

The officers of the class of 1951 are:

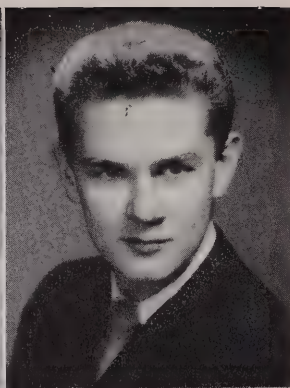
Robert GrovePresident
Dorothy Cobb and Edward Siltman....Class Agents



Albert Ahlquist

BIOLOGY
Jacksonville

Band 1, 3.



Ronald Allin

PHILOSOPHY
Hamilton

Phi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Christian Association 3, 4, Pres. 4; Philosophy Club 3, 4, Pres. 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Associate Director 3, 4; Fencing 3.



Vernon Alvin

SOCIAL SCIENCES
Des Plaines

Sigma Pi 3, 4



Camille Arata

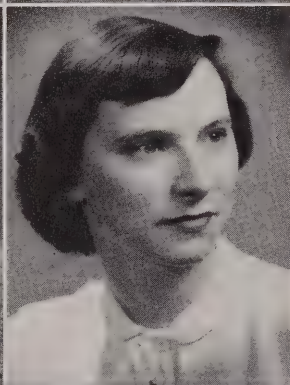
ENGLISH
Chicago

Alpha Eta Pi, Treas.; Sigma Phi Epsilon 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3.



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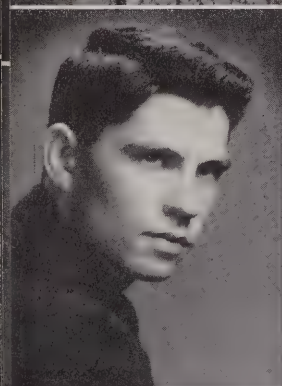
ENGLISH
Argo



Pauline Atherton

HISTORY
Argo

Honor Roll 3, 4; Chi Beta 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Phi Beta Kappa.



Wallace Beasley

ECONOMICS
Virden

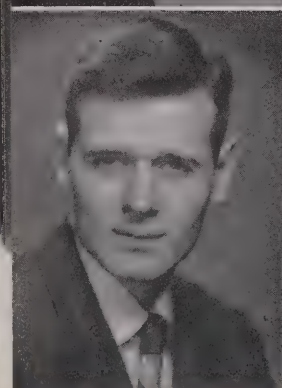
Band, Sigma Pi 1, 2, 3, 4, Cor. Sec. 4, Rec. Sec. 4.



David Billings

HISTORY
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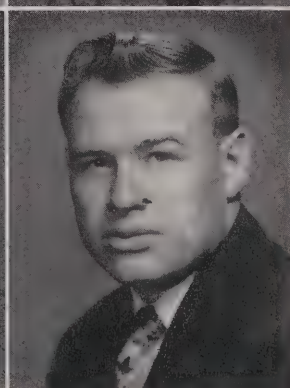
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Forum 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 2; I Club, Vice-Pres. 3; Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges, 4.



Robert Bonjean

HISTORY
Jacksonville

Sigma Pi 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural sports.



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SOCIAL SCIENCES
Huntington Park, Calif.

Football, I Club, Baseball, Sigma Pi.

Carmalu Broad
LIBERAL ARTS
Normal

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SOCIAL SCIENCES
La Porte, Indiana

Dale Bryant
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Jacksonville

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HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT
Chicago

Sigma Pi 3, 4, Sec. 4; RAMBLER 3, 4, Associate Editor 4, Editor 4; Alpha Phi Omega 3, 4; Social Committee 4, Chorus 3; Chess Club 4.

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Bluffs

Mae Carlson
PSYCHOLOGY
Chicago

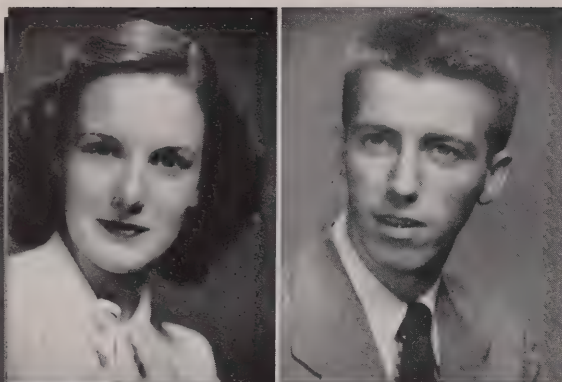
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Park Ridge

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Haddonfield, New Jersey

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ENGLISH

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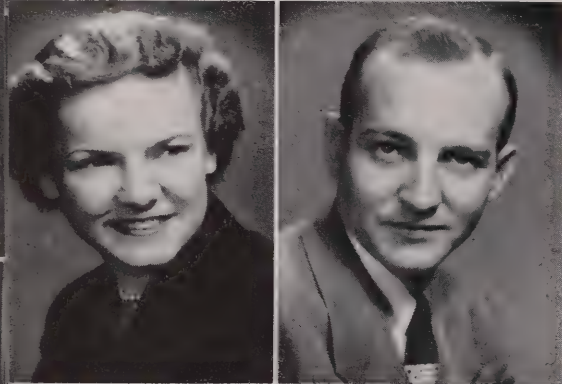
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HISTORY

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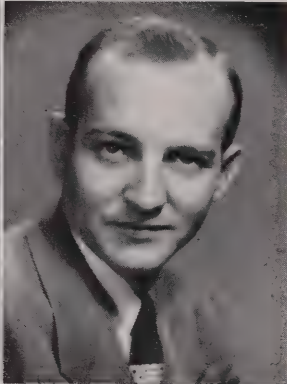


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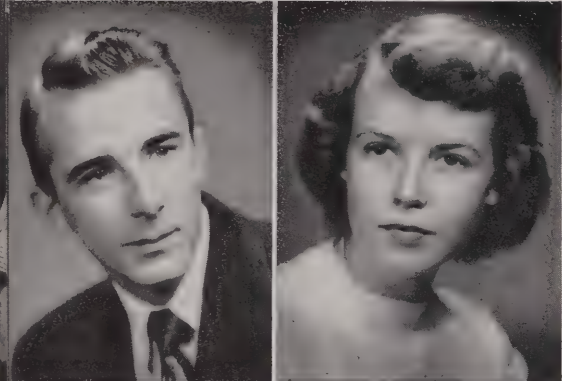
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3, 4; Preliminary Honors 2; Alpha Eta Pi; Sigma Phi Epsilon 2, 3, 4; Disciplinary Committee 3, 4; Psychodelphia 3, 4; Phi Beta Kappa.



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ECONOMICS

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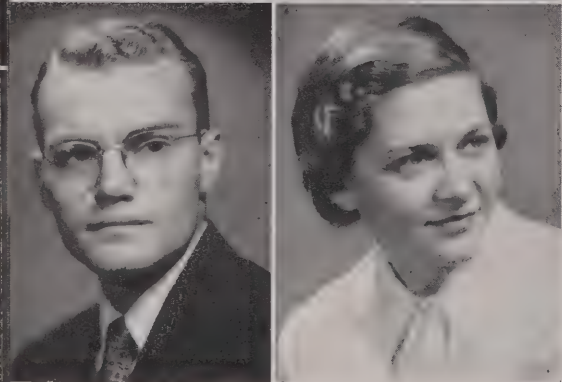
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Ruth Dodd

HISTORY

Lowder



Robert Drury

ECONOMICS

Gillespie

Gamma Nu 3, 4.



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PSYCHOLOGY

Jacksonville

Chi Beta 3, 4, Rec. Sec. 4; Psychodelphia 2, 3, 4, Sec. 3.



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Cleveland, Ohio

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ECONOMICS
Rockridge



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Alpha Eta Pi; Gamma Delta 2, 3, 4,
Pres. 4; Choir, Intersociety Board 4.

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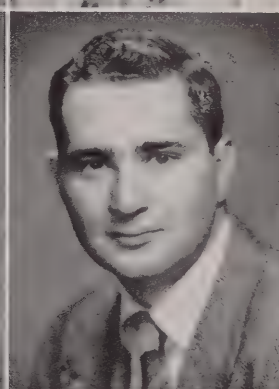
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Sander's Oratorical Contest Win-
ner 2; Student Forum 3; Fencing
Team 2, 3; Pi Kappa Delta 1, 2,
3, 4, Sec. 1, Pres. 2, 3; Gamma
Delta 2, 3, 4, Treas. 2, Pres. 4;
Rig Veda 2, 3, 4, Co-Editor 3, 4;
Intersociety Board 4; Phi Beta
Kappa.



Robert French
ECONOMICS
Oak Park

Gamma Nu 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Football
1; Fencing 1, 2, 3; Social Commit-
tee 3, 4.

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HISTORY
Scarsdale, N. Y.



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SOCIAL SCIENCES
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Sigma Phi Epsilon 4.

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ENGLISH
Jacksonville

Alpha Eta Pi, Sec. 1; Sigma Phi
Epsilon 2, 3, 4, Cor. Sec. 3, Pres.
3, 4; Intersociety Board 3, 4, Pres.
4; Social Committee 3; Honor Roll
3, 4.



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Phi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 2, Pres. 4;
Chorus 1.

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O'Fallon

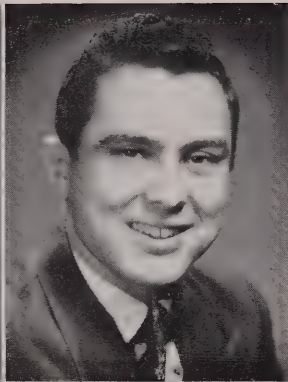
RAMBLER 2; Phi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4;
Rec. Sec. 2.





James Grant
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Hall Quarry, Maine

Gamma Nu 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4,
Vice-Pres. 3; Student Forum, Who's
Who in American Universities and
Colleges 4; Homecoming Chairman
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League 3, 4; I Club.



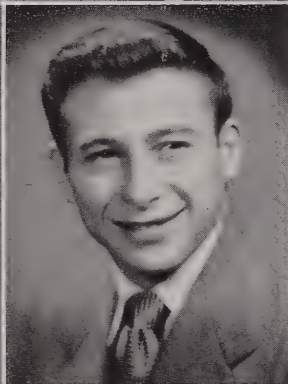
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Danville

Gamma Nu, Football, Basketball,
Baseball, Track.



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BIOLOGY
Edwardsville

RAMBLER 3; Phi Alpha, Sec. 3,
Pres. 4.



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HISTORY
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Sigma Pi 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President
4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3;
RAMBLER, Business Manager 3; I
Club.



Jack Hearst
SOCIAL SCIENCES
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Phi Alpha 1, 2, 3; I Club 2, 3;
Baseball 1, 2, 3.



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Springfield



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CHEMISTRY
Chicago

Chi Beta 2, 3, Treas. 3; Fencing 2,
3; Tennis.



Marian Hills
CHEMISTRY
Jacksonville

Preliminary Honors 2; Smith Prize
for Freshman Mathematics; Smith
Prize for Sophomore Mathematics;
Gamma Delta 3, 4, Treas. 4, Vice-
President 4; Phi Beta Kappa.



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Baseball 3, 4.



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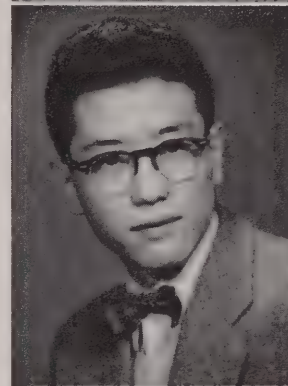
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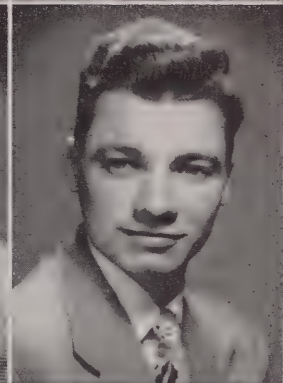
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HISTORY

La Grange Park
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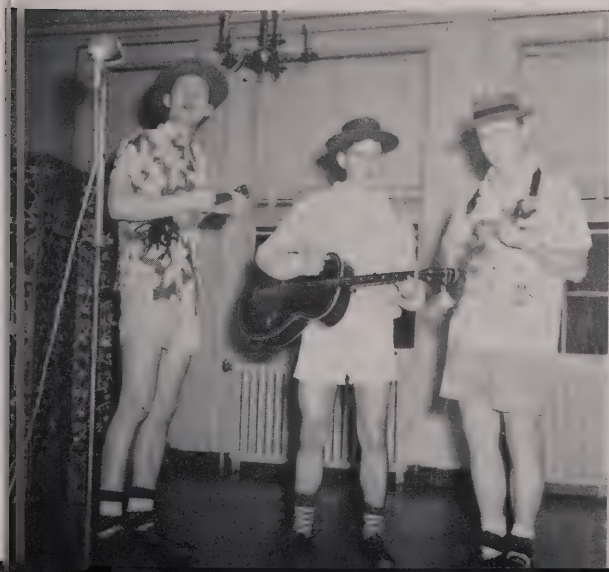
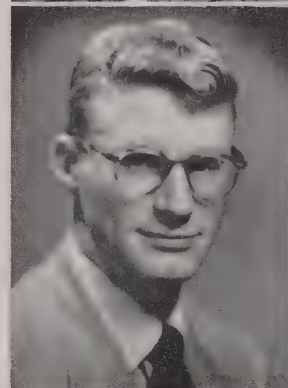
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Scott Longenbaugh
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Bluffs



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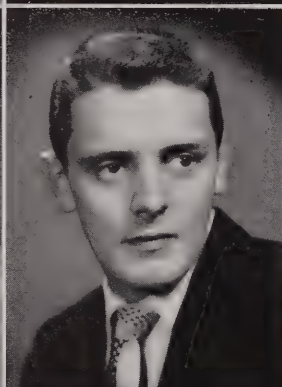
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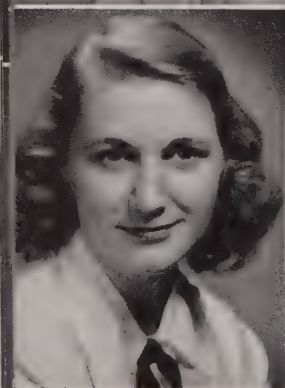
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Hopewell, New Jersey



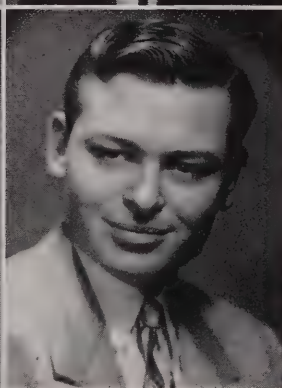
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SOCIAL SCIENCES
Chicago
Sigma Phi Epsilon 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Student Union Committee 4.



William Mathews
ECONOMICS
Chicago
Sigma Pi 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 3, Pres. 4; Honor Roll 2; Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; I Club 2, 3, 4; Lecture Committee 3; Economics Club 4; Intramural sports.



Faith Metzler
PSYCHOLOGY
Island Lake
Forum 1; I.C.A.W., Treas. 2, Sec. 4; Honor Roll 4; Alpha Eta Pi, Vice-Pres. 1; Sigma Phi Epsilon 2, 3, 4; Treas. 3, Pres. 4, Sec. 4; Intersociety Board 3, 4, Pres. 4; Student Union Committee 2, 3, 4, Chairman 2; Rig Veda 3, 4; Homecoming Queen 3; Social Committee 2; Psychodelphia 3, 4.



Alvin Miller
ENGLISH
Jacksonville



Richard Mills
HISTORY AND GOVERNMENT
Jacksonville

Phi Alpha 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Debate
 1, 2, 3, 4; Sander's Oratorical Con-
 test Winner, 4; Choir, Fencing.

Victor Mosley
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Sigma Pi, RAMBLER, Baseball, "I"
 Club.

Virginia Muntman
MODERN LANGUAGES
Jacksonville

Chi Beta 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4, Pres. 4;
 Rig Veda 3, 4; Radio Club 1; Honor
 Roll 3; Edward Allen Tanner Prize
 for Latin 3; Intersociety Board 3, 4,
 Sec. 4.

Marjorie Murphy
SOCIAL SCIENCES
Jacksonville

Honor Roll 3; Sigma Phi Epsilon
 2, 3, 4.

Charles Otto
ECONOMICS
Petersburgh

James Minarik
ECONOMICS
Holland, Michigan

Economics Club 2; Honor Roll 3.

Don Muchtin
ENGLISH

Jamaica, Long Island, N. Y.

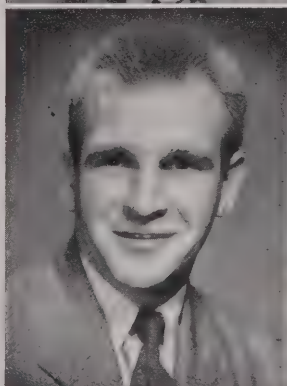
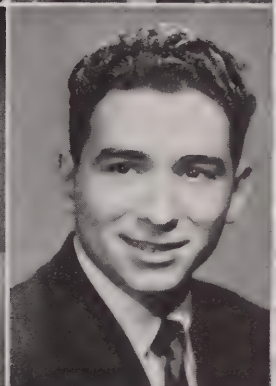
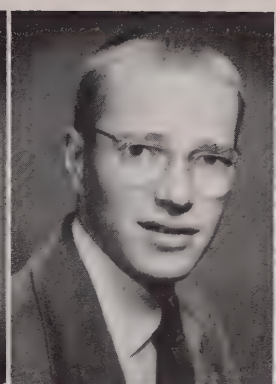
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 Vice-Pres., Rec. Sec.; RAMBLER 3;
 Forum 3, 4; Intramural sports 1, 2,
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HISTORY
Jacksonville

Thomas Nolan
BIOLOGY
Springfield

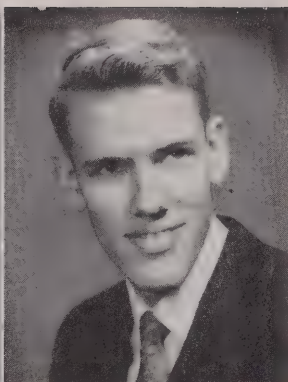
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Winchester

Chorus 1, 3, 4, Organist 3, 4; Gam-
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 3, 4.



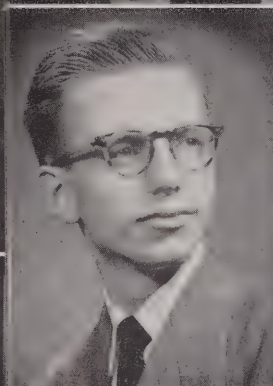


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Mason City



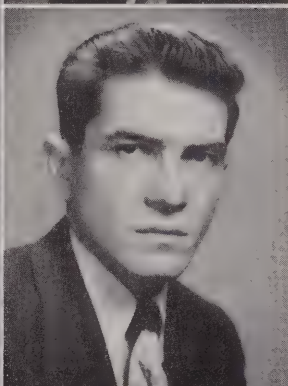
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SPEECH AND DRAMATICS
Chicago

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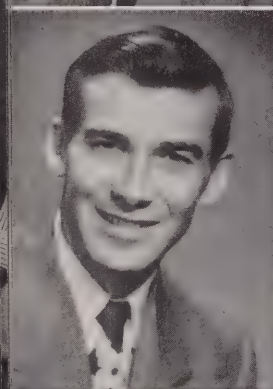


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Jacksonville

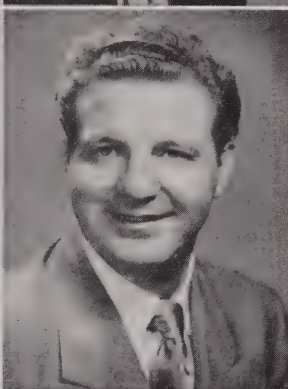
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Chicago

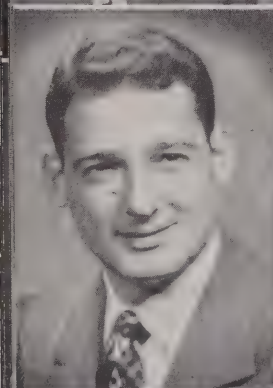


Kermit Reside
CHEMISTRY
Springfield

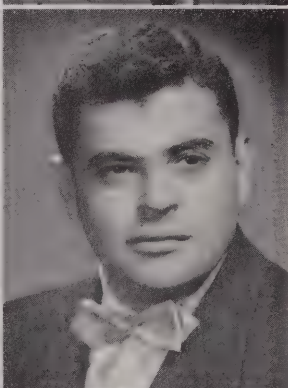


Ernest Reven
ECONOMICS
Virden

Phi Alpha, Vice-Pres. 3; Student Manager Football Team 3; Economics Club 3, 4, Vice-Pres. 4; Student Body President 4.



Donald Rooth
PHILOSOPHY
Chicago
Intramural Sports; Bowling League.



Arnold Rosen
MODERN LANGUAGES
Quincy



Janet Ryrholm
BIOLOGY
Chicago
Sigma Phi Epsilon 3, 4.



Sue Sasaki
HISTORY
Kapaa, Kauai, Hawaii
Sigma Phi Epsilon 3, 4, Treas. 4.

Robert Scheller

ECONOMICS
Chicago

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; I Club 2, 3, 4;
Student Forum 3, 4; Sigma Pi 1, 2,
3, 4, Sec. 3; Student Union Comm.
Chr. 4; Economics Club 2, 3, 4,
Pres. 4; Intramural sports; Bowling
league; Who's Who in American
Universities and Colleges 4.

Edward Siltman

HISTORY
Chandlerville

Joe Simpson

MATHEMATICS
Forest Park

Sigma Pi.

Margaret Slagle

SOCIAL SCIENCES
Jacksonville

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Sigma Phi Epsilon
2, 3, 4, Rec. Sec. 3; Alpha Eta Pi 1;
Honor Roll 3.

Dorothy Sloan

ENGLISH
Chicago Heights

Sigma Phi Epsilon 2, 3, 4, Corres.
Sec. 3, Vice-Pres. 4, Soc. Comm.
2, 3; Rig Veda 3, 4; Circulation
Mgr. RAMBLER 3, 4.

Angelo Spinazzola

BIOLOGY
Blue Island

Mary C. Standley

ENGLISH
Jacksonville

Gamma Delta 2, 3.

Paul Stehman

PRE-LAW
Winchester

English Club.

James Swift

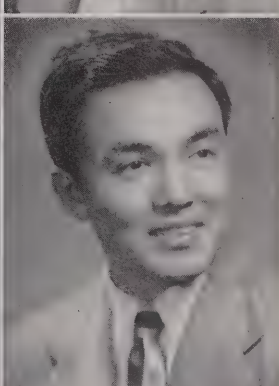
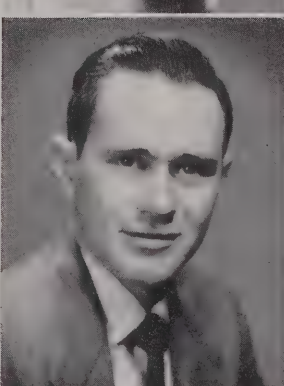
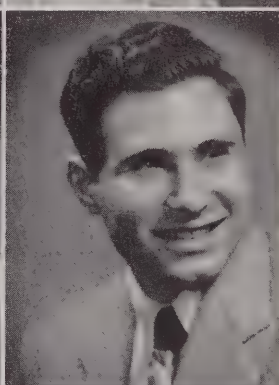
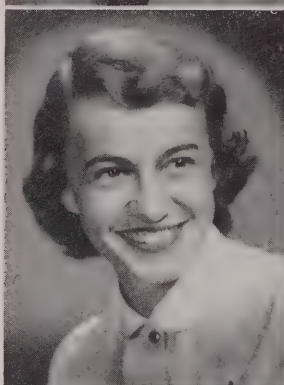
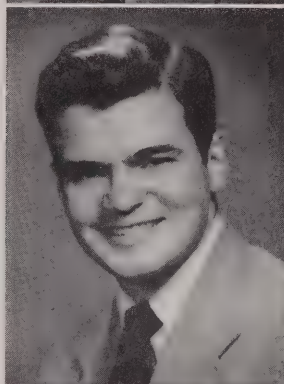
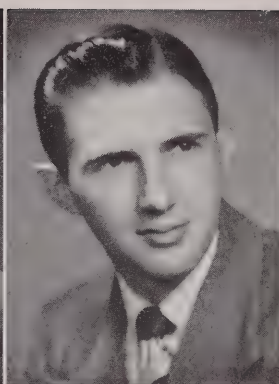
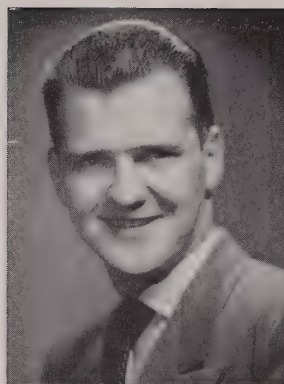
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Chicago

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Henry Takitani

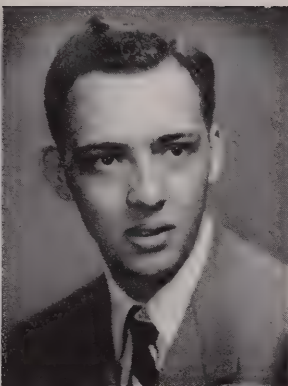
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Maui, Hawaii

Baseball; I Club.





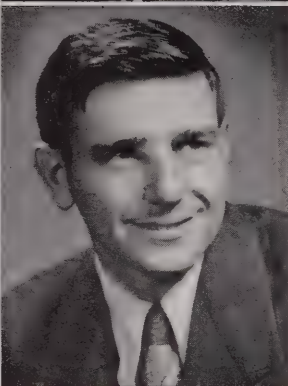
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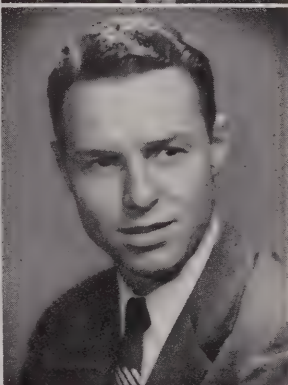
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Woodson



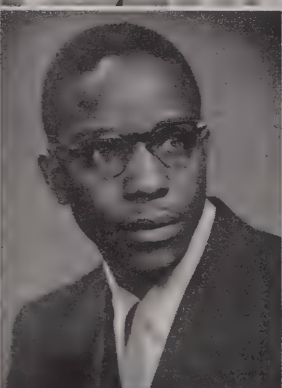
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Westville
Football 1; Baseball 1; Basketball 3.



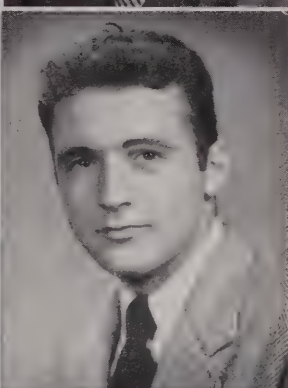
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BIOLOGY
Lincoln



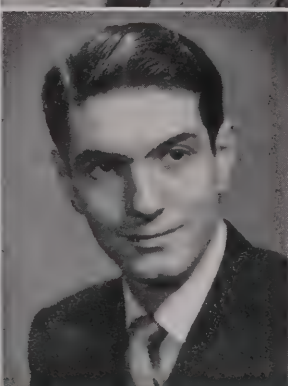
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MODERN LANGUAGES
Columbia, Mo.
Football 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3;
Gamma Nu 3, 4.



Fred Wittekind
ENGLISH
Barrington
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Band 1, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Forum 4;
Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Hill-
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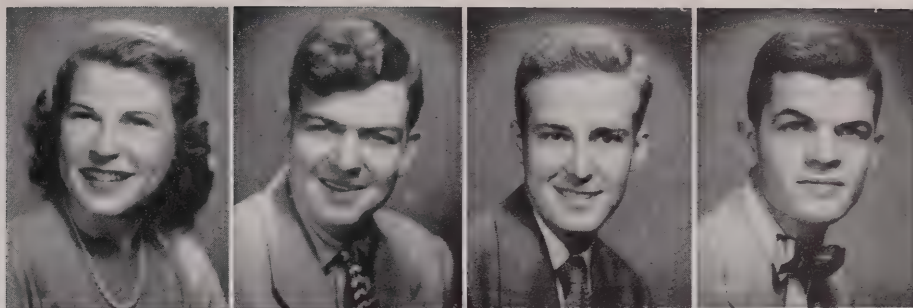


Patricia Wittekind
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Middletown
Honor Roll 1, 2, 3; Preliminary
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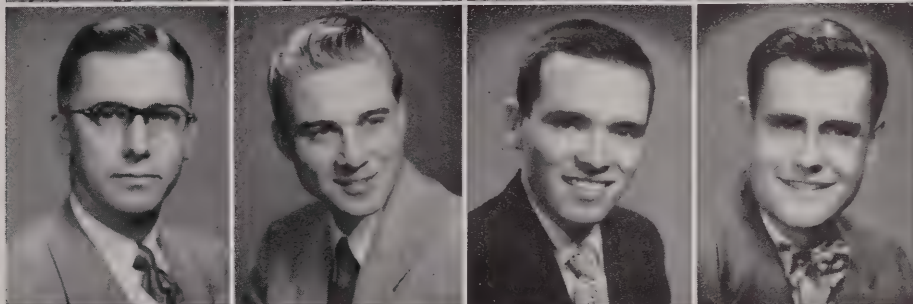


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Jacksonville

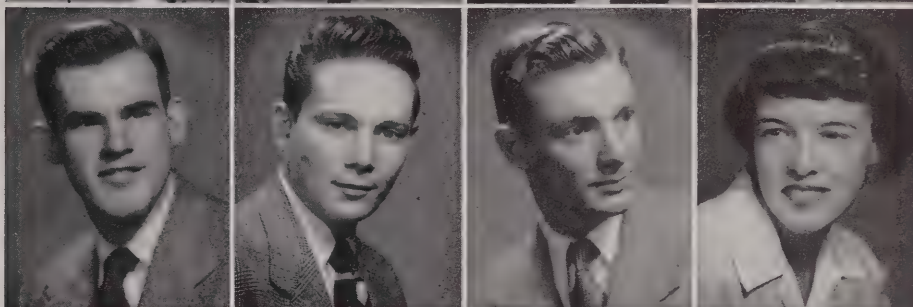
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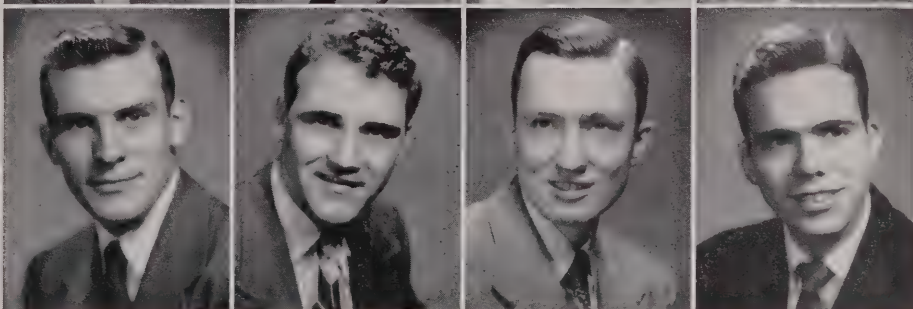
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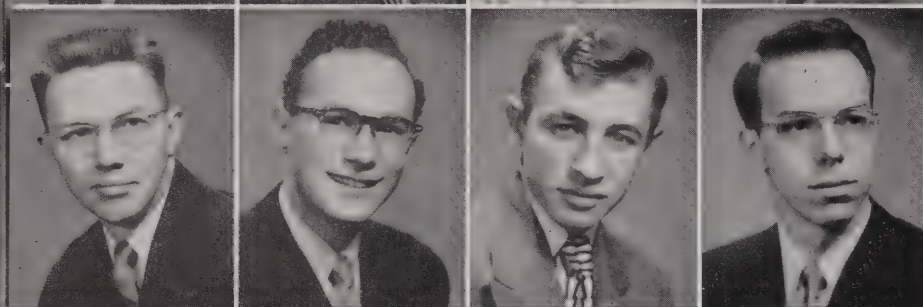
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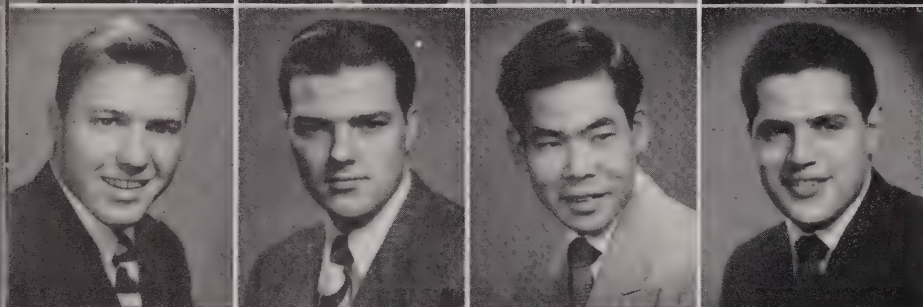
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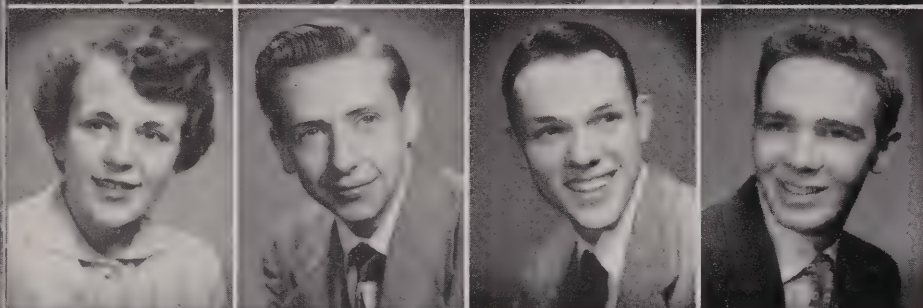
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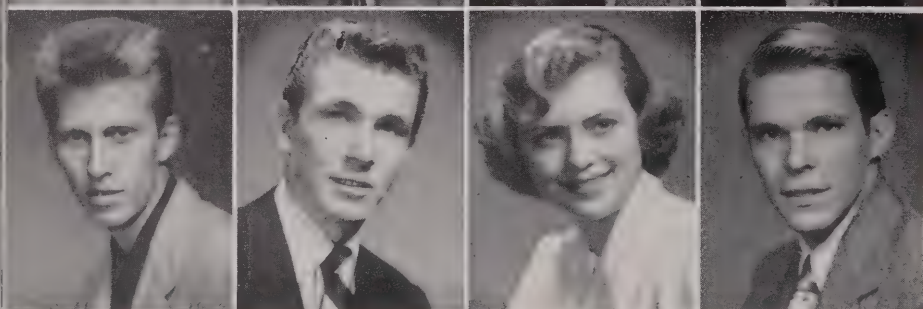
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Donald Kolmer



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Wallace McConaghey
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Frank Maietta



Florence Majewski
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Larry Miller
William Mills



William Morgan
James Mullen
Nancy Munk
Byron Parry



First Row, left to right:

Donna Postlewaite

James Read

Robert Read

Coral Reazer

Richard Robertson

Betty Ross

Second Row, left to right:

Delmar Seitz

Betty Shewmaker

Donald Sleet

Roderick Sparnicht

Donald Squier

Raymond Stein

Third Row, left to right:

John Stumpf

Athens Taratsas

Josephine Tarro

Harold Toussaint

Wayne Willard

Marilyn Williamson

SOPH



First Row, left to right:

George Aderton
 Russell Alexander
 Louis Arkema
 Barbara Austin
 Mary Baker

Second Row, left to right:

Charles Bell
 Jerzy Bigosinski
 Jo Ann Bohannon
 Kenneth Bork
 John Bostic

Third Row, left to right:

Beverly Brown
 David Brown
 Robert Brown
 Arnold Burke
 Ronald Byrd

OMORES

Patricia Carlson

Robert Carpenter

Roger Chapman

William Cooper

Charles Covey

Charlotte Dietz

Jean Dulen

Noble Emde

Robert Fanning

Barbara Gates

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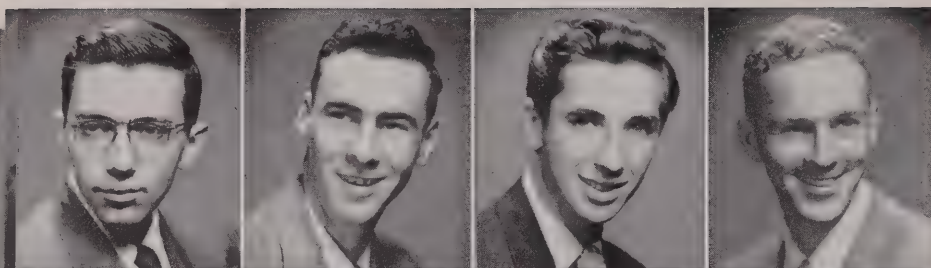
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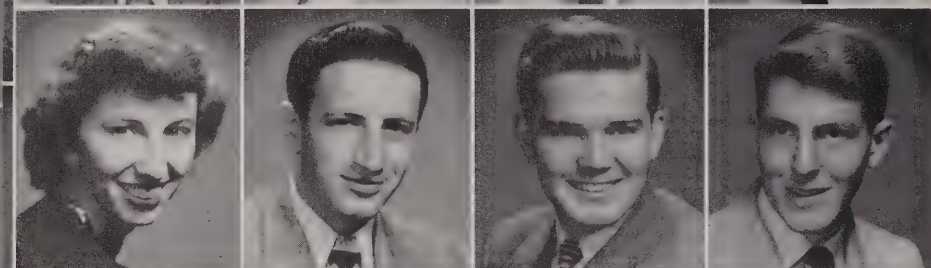




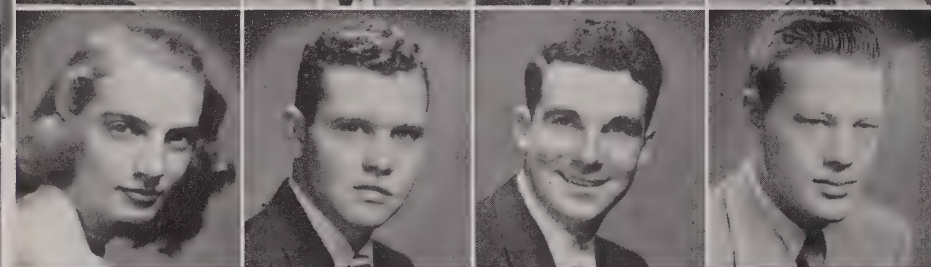
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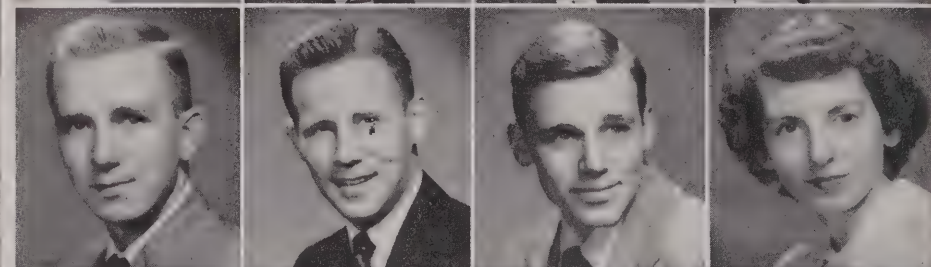
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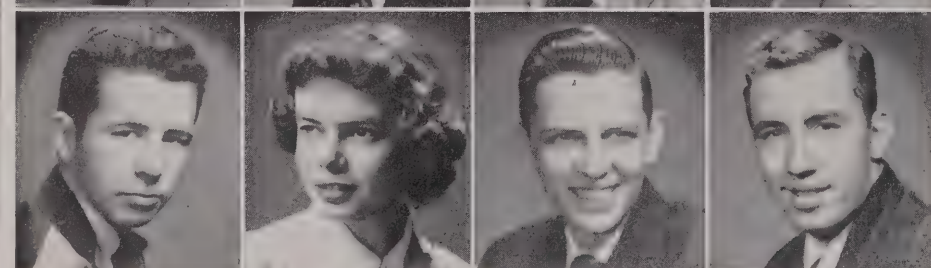
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Betty Walker
John Wendorff
James Wilhoite



FRESHMAN CLASS

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 Esther Baptist
 Stanley Baulos
 John Bickerdike
 Nancy Birdsall
 John Brasel

Second Row, left to right:

David Briick
 Marilyn Burrus
 Charles Cobb
 Bonnie Cockin
 Georges Cosbar
 Trevert Couden

Third Row, left to right:

Marvin Darrah
 Dorothy DeKoker
 William DeVore
 Richard Eck
 Ray Eldridge
 Roberta Flynn

Fourth Row, left to right:

Constance Foreman
 Barbara Francisco
 George Fry
 Nancy Gibson
 Robert Gilson
 Robert Glatz

Fifth Row, left to right:

Thomas Gray
 Carol Groustra
 Raymond Gwozdziwicz
 Mildred Hall
 Jean Heckman
 Donald Hess



First Row, left to right:

Marilyn Horn
Robert Hoskins
Dale Houston
Elizabeth Huffman
Mark Hunt
Mary Hurtig

Second Row, left to right:

Robert Jacobson
Waclav Jagiella
Latham Keys
Jerome Keeney
Joseph Kingston
Dorris Kolmer

Third Row, left to right:

Thomas Koontz
Patrick Krohn
Charles Long
Robert Lowry
Constance McCormick
Lowell McCulley

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Ogden Munroe
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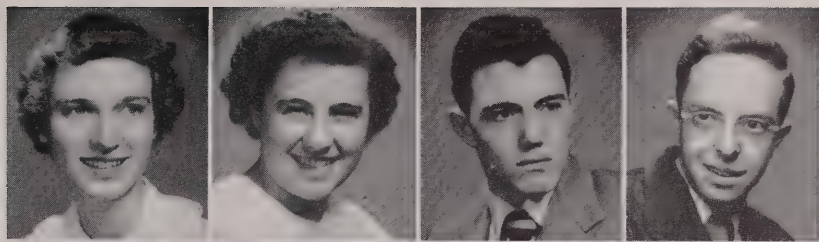
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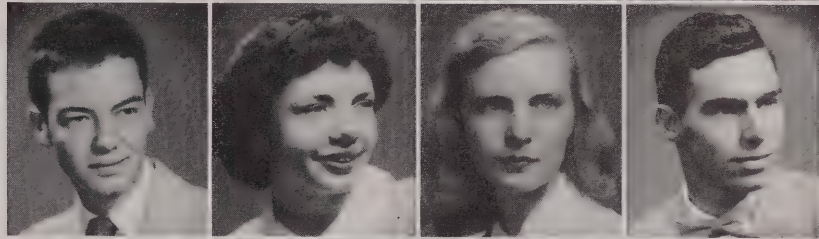


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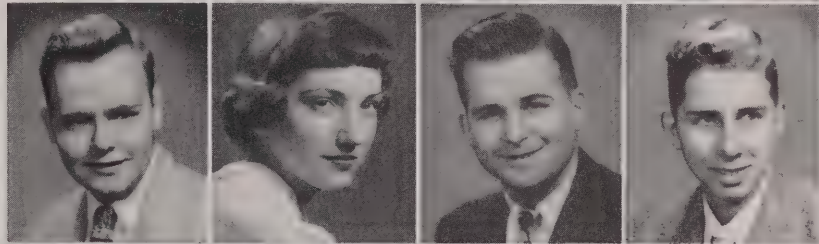


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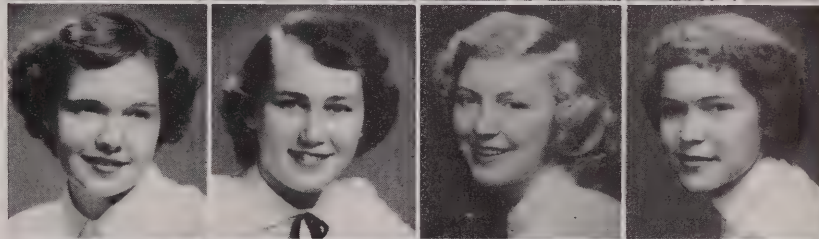


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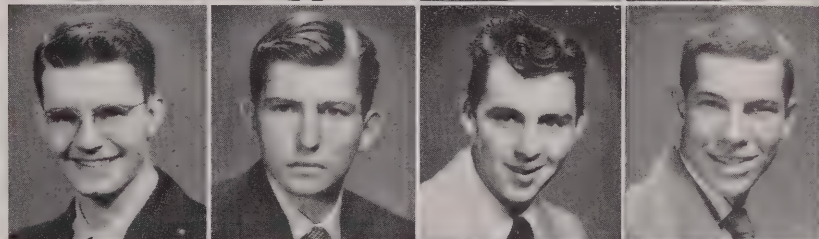


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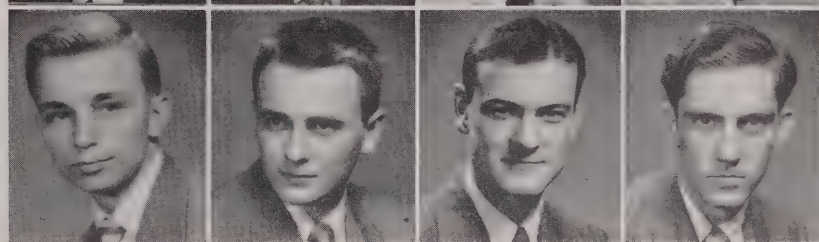


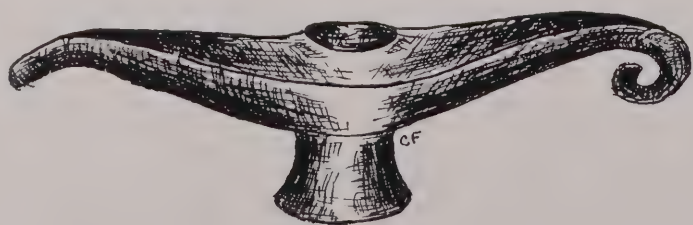
Stephan Yandek

Roger Young

Forrest Ziles

Arthur Conary





ACTIVITIES

*With them the Seed of Wisdom did I sow,
And with my own hand labour'd it to grow:
And this was all the Harvest that I reap'd—
"I came like Water, and like Wind I go."*

Gamma Nu



As the door to the school year 1950-51 closed, so closed the door to Gamma Nu's fifty-fourth year. It was an event-packed year for the men who met within the walls of the "Old Club House." The Spring Formal at O'Brien's Manor is still remembered, as well as the upset of the mighty Gamma Nu "A" Moose by the scrappy Gamma Nu "B" Bulls in the intramural softball league. Many will recall the Christmas party at O'Brien's or the bull session following the initiation.

It was at the June Love Feast that the first of several giant steps was taken toward the reactivation of Gamma Nu's Alumni Organization, some three hundred fifty strong. This group was placed under the leadership of Harry Story, a Jacksonville lawyer. A prominent step in this direction is the issuing of the "Gamma Nu News Letter."

Gamma Nu men participated in campus activities; Jim Mullen served as Vice-president of the student body and four of its members served on the Forum. Others served on the Social Committee and Homecoming was under the leadership of Jim Grant. So this list could grow to close the door on Gamma Nu's fifty-fourth year.





Front Row: R. Romack, E. Blazer, S. Yandek, D. Brück, D. Squier, T. Koontz, Richard Stites.
Middle Row: R. Brown, R. Young, C. Long, J. Bigosinski, L. G. Kays, B. Mills, R. Warren, R. Gwozdzievich, B. Long.
Back Row: R. George, R. Shaeffer, C. Runkle, R. Glowacki, G. Aderton, R. Glatz.

Front Row: T. Iannucci, R. French, R. Humphrey, J. Grant, J. Manos, P. Jockinsen, S. Kolc.
Middle Row: J. Mullen, R. Byrd, G. Jacobsohn, I. Lederer, J. Chulick, D. Maurizi, A. Rosen.
Back Row: J. Baker, D. Sleet, N. Kuhlmeir, D. Coe, D. Durham, R. Drury, A. Taratsas.

OFFICERS

	Fall	Winter	Spring
President	J. Grant	R. French	J. Mullen
Vice-President	R. French	J. Mullen	D. Maurizi
Recording Secretary	R. Drury	R. Drury	R. Drury
Treasurer	D. Sleet	R. Humphrey	R. Humphrey



Seated: Don Kolmer, Duane Gronau, Chet Harris, Robert Rossio, Don Muchtin.

Standing: Walt Lubes, Dick Mills, Fred Lubes, Don Gilchrist, Harold Toussaint, Angelo Spinazzola, Bob Kunkel, Ray Stein, Robert Read, Rod Sparnicht, Jim Read, Ron Allin, Charles Kurtock, Ed Horton, Lowell Dewhirst, Fred Wittekind, John Wendorff, Don Polzin, Charles Covey, John Lake, Paul Thursby, Ernest Reven, Roger Chapman.

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Recording Secretary	R. Rossio	D. Kolmer	D. Polzin
Treasurer	D. Kolmer	R. Stein	L. Miller

Phi Alpha

This Fall Phis came back to a new Beecher, and a thoroughly new exterior waited to be aged by the ivy vines. Many former Phis were back for the Homecoming meeting, during which the trustees for the year were announced: Dr. Emmett McBratney, Mr. Charles Johnson and Mr. Charles Briggie.

"Pete" Reven served as Student Body President, and Dick Mills added honor to Phi Alpha by winning the Sanders Oratorical Contest.

The Society touch football team took to the field during Fall term and placed second in the league. New men were added to the Society's roll, eager to add their bit to its activities.

The Phi basketball team placed second, while some of its representatives placed in the bowling league. As the Winter term moved on, literary meetings shared the democratic spirit and fellowship of Phi Alpha.

Hoping to have Lower Beecher redecorated and refurnished by the opening of the new school year, a meeting was held with alumni to outline plans for work to be done.

To be remembered is the open meeting, as well as the Spring weekend, and the annual Society Love Feast which brought the year to a satisfying close.



Sigma Pi

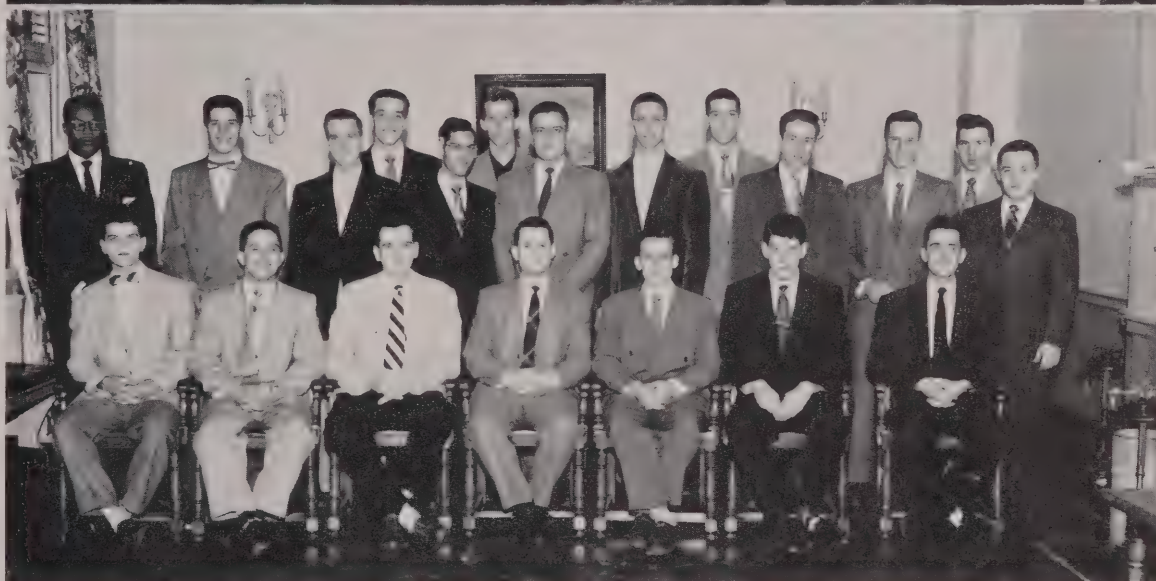


The 1950-51 school year was Sigma Pi's one hundred and eighth year and could well go down as one of the most successful in Sig history. The Sigs copped the Homecoming float trophy with a novel Oriental entry proclaiming "Confucius Say Honorable Blueboys Win." The fall term also marked the completion of the rejuvenation of Old Beecher and the redecoration of Sig Hall. The hall is the special pride of Sigma Pi, as well it should be, with its luxurious and magnificent air attaining that of a somber Bostonian Bankers Club. Fall term was climaxed by the winning of the intramural football league crown with an undefeated season.

New laurels were added when Jim Smith and Paul Roley bagged the Faculty Debate Trophy with a unanimous decision over challenger Gamma Nu—Sigma Pi's second leg on the copper cup. In an exciting race, Sigma Pi won the intramural basketball tournament and its bowling team took first place.

Sigma Pi members were active in all campus organizations and claimed the presidency of the "I" Club, Economics Club and the editorship of THE RAMBLER. Otherwise the society was represented in Pi Kappa Delta, the Forum, the Hilltop Players, the Philosophy Club and Rig Veda. In addition, the varsity teams were well sprinkled with Sig athletes and scholastic standards were upheld by a number of members appearing on the honor roll.





Standing: A. Williamson, J. Marsh, W. Beasley, D. Cramer, B. Harshman, W. Carrier, V. Alvin, C. Due, D. Luth, G. Henricks, J. Laschinski, H. De Groot, R. Clark, J. Simpson, J. Smith, R. Bueschel, W. Carrier, R. Brace, V. Mosley.

Seated: R. Scheller, W. Mathews, R. Brand, R. Bonjean, L. Kaufman, J. Swift, D. Stewart.

Back Row: C. McKenzie, D. Pipia, P. Roley, R. Meyer, J. Sabado, B. Morgan, D. Grimm, O. Munroe, G. Withrow, T. Gray, P. Larson, F. Wilford, J. Couden.

Front Row: D. Brown, R. Paulson, B. Carpenter, J. Hannah, J. Stone, L. Meyers, D. Hunt.

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President	W. Mathews	J. Smith	G. Henricks
Vice-president		R. Harshman	R. Luth
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Recording Secretary	R. Bueschel	G. Henricks	W. Beasley
Corresponding Sec.	W. Beasley	R. Luth	P. Roley



Standing: R. Martin, A. Cloud, J. Tate, B. Gross, P. Carlson.

Seated: J. Harriman, N. Munk, J. Avichouser, M. Carlson, V. Muntman, S. Dudley, B. Gates.

Standing: K. Johnson, M. Lundell, L. Hearst, B. Austin, J. Hamilton, S. Hammitt, J. Krumm.

Seated: M. Baker, P. Atherton, G. Miller, B. Walker, J. Tarro, J. Harber.

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 Recording Secretary S. Dudley
 Corresponding Secretary N. Munk

Second Semester

V. Muntman
 P. Atherton
 M. Lundell
 J. Harber
 R. Martin



Chi Beta

Another eventful year for Chi Beta was opened with the traditional candlelight initiation of pledges. Glittering majestically in the background was the "cup" which was presented Chi Beta at the Love Feast last June. Homecoming was a busy time selling coffee, cokes and hot dogs at the concession stand. The outstanding event was the crowning of Jean Avichouser as queen, attended by Nancy Munk.

The theme for the first semester was "Echoes from Olympus," followed in the second semester by "In Tune with the Universe." Among the date nights and parties were numbered a square dance in a real barn with real callers and a Christmas grab-bag party. The traditional Chi Beta Christmas tree was set up in Tanner for all to enjoy. The annual Pow-Wow, better known as Open Meeting, was the January event. After seeing a beautiful maiden lose her brave to a Mac Foo-Foo girl and her wampum belt, the freshmen were presented with their own wampum belts. The annual card party was held early this year to relieve the tension of Spring term. To start off Spring term, the Chi Beta "Chez When" was held as usual with work and fun for all. The year was closed with the Love Feast and good-byes to "Dear old Chi Beta."





Gamma Delta

For Gamma Delta the formal initiation and banquet began the year 1950-1951. Program Chairmen Donna Postlewaite and Flo Majewski introduced the theme for the literary programs of the year—"Wit in Rhyme" with selections from the poems of Ogden Nash.

Homecoming found Gamma Delts making their ice-cube-and-igloo float in the Shewmaker garage. Our slogan was "This will be an **ICy** day". We were represented on the Queen's Court by Flo Majewski. Our Homecoming Cozy was a successful one, with a lot of old members back to take part.

In December we again became the proud possessors of the Sanders Oratorical plaque, won by Flo Majewski with her oration entitled "In the Minds of Men". Betty Shewmaker was hostess for our Christmas Cozy. After supper we sat in the glow from the Christmas tree lights and opened presents. We finished the evening by singing Christmas carols.

With the opening of the Winter Term, Gamma Delta entertained the student body in the "South Pacific." The all-school party was complete with leis, thatched roofs, and ukelele music. The next week we changed location and the freshman girls were our guests for our open meeting "Out West".

The rest of our year was filled by the annual rummage sale, date nights, and the "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" rush tea. The love feast was held the night before Commencement as usual.





Standing: M Hills, C. Reazer, B. Ross, C. Fisk, F. Majewski, J. Patterson, D. Cobb, P. Wittekind, C. Dietz.

Seated: B. Shewmaker, J. Clymer, D. Postlewaite, M. Foreman, M. Williamson.

OFFICERS

	First Semester	Second Semester
President	M. Foreman	C. Fisk
Vice-president	D. Postlewaite	M. Hills
Treasurer	C. Fisk	C. Dietz
Recording Secretary	J. Patterson	D. Cobb
Corresponding Secretary	F. Majewski	C. Reazer



Standing: J. Bohannon, M. Curtis, M. Slagle, V. Wilhoit.
Seated: M. Giangreco, M. Cruse, M. Murphy.

Standing: C. Arata, J. Ryrholm, B. Lubes, J. Bamberger, A. Penewitt.
Seated: B. Brown, D. Sloan, F. Metzler, S. Sasaki, M. Macpherson.

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Vice-president	D. Sloan	J. Bohannon
Treasurer	S. Sasaki	B. Brown
Recording Secretary	B. Lubes	F. Metzler
Corresponding Secretary	A. Penewitt	M. Curtis

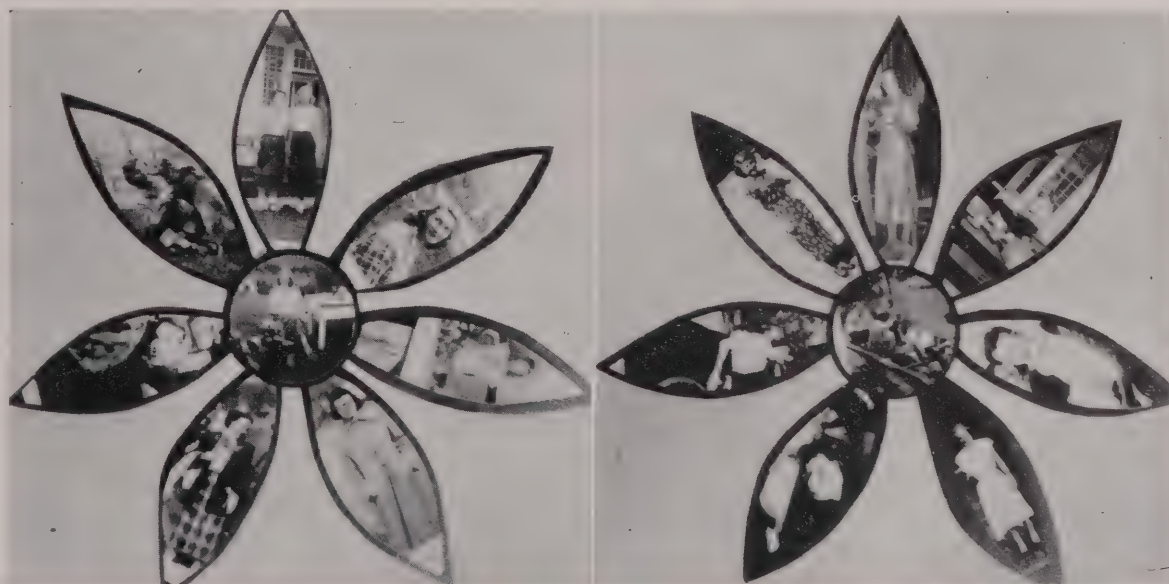


Sigma Phi Epsilon

With thirteen graduating seniors, Sigma Phi Epsilon decided to have a bang-up year. Homecoming found Sig Phips pedalling down College Avenue, dressed to suit "Tan-Dem Bums." With the aid of its alumni, the Society saved enough cereal coupons to obtain its own silverware. A reactivated Alumni Committee made plans to use the "stored up" money saved to rejuvenate the Sig Phip furniture.

Programs for the first semester centered about the general theme, "Between the Book Ends," while the second semester's theme was "The Sig Phip Calendar." Second roll brought out stranger talents than ever produced before.

With brother society, Sigma Pi, Sig Phips sponsored an all school party, FLAPPER FLICKS, with a setting in the good ol' days of the flappers. Open meetings and rush teas, an April Fool Breakfast, a joint meeting with Sigma Pi crowded the society's calendar to form an eventful, busy, happy year, climaxed by the Love Feast which brought actives, alumni, and friends into the "bonds of Sigma Phi Epsilon."





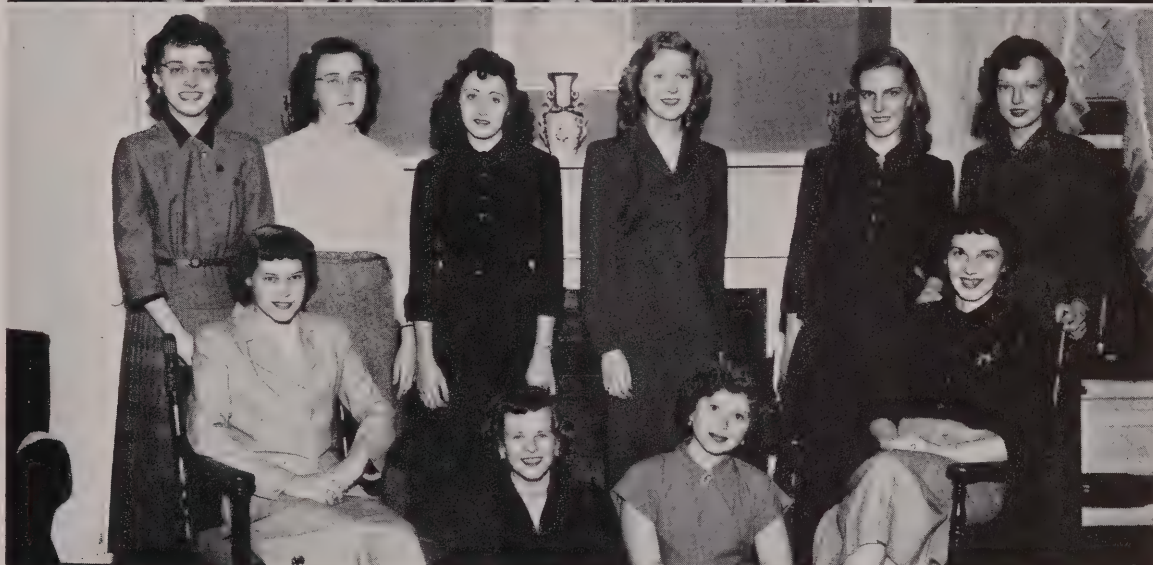
Alpha Eta Pi

The freshman women's society got underway early in October when the traditional informal initiation was held for the new members. Under the direction of last year's officers, the girls were directed to wear their dressiest clothes, prepare and serve a complete meal to blue-jeaned sophomores, provide a "spontaneous and unrehearsed" evening of entertainment and clean up when the affair was over. While this was taking place, a picked crew of last year's members created "organized confusion" at Fayerweather House. An impressive formal candlelight initiation was held a week later. After a sample society meeting, arranged by the Intersociety Board, the girls were on their own. As soon as officers had been elected, Miss Seybold was invited to act in the capacity of faculty adviser, and as such, provided counseling and advice throughout the year.

Next on the agenda was a date night. Plans were made for a sleighride but because of weather conditions, the date night became an informal house party, and was pronounced a complete success.

At Homecoming time, Alpha Eta Pi sponsored a float representing an ambulance with battered Eureka players spilling from its sides. Through these and later activities, and regular meetings, the members of Alpha Eta Pi have acquainted themselves with life on the I. C. campus, and are looking forward to becoming members of an upper-class society.





Standing: B. Francisco, B. Strainic, C. Groustra, J. Huffman, H. Sellers, D. Kolmer.

Seated: N. Gibson, N. Ross, C. Foreman, B. Townsley.

Standing: E. Rinne, R. Flynn, G. Riva, M. Virgin, G. Staniforth, C. McCormick.

Seated: M. Votsmeier, J. Heckman, D. DeKoker, J. Hurtig.

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 D. Kolmer
 J. Huffman
 C. McCormick
 B. Townsley



Ernest Reven
Student Body President

FORUM

Functioning as the Illinois College student government, the Forum is composed of representatives of the student body at large as well as two representatives of the faculty. The Forum maintains general supervision over all student activities and common campus problems. The regular Forum meetings in upper Kamm have become an important and integral part of college life.

W. McConaghey, B. Jacobson, F. Wittekind, W. Beasley, B. Shewmaker, J. Grant, J. Lake, J. Mullen, G. Henricks, S. Yandek, D. Maurizi





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Richard Mills, John Marsh, Mr. Dudley



Oratory

The successful candidates in the Sanders Oratorical Contest were Flo Majewski of Gamma Delta and Richard Mills of Phi Alpha.



Intersociety Debate

Winning the Intersociety Debate Trophy for the second consecutive year was Sigma Pi represented by Lou Roley and Jim Smith. The debate topic was:

Resolved: That the non-Communist nations of the world should form a separate world organization outside the U. N. Sigma Pi team defended the affirmative.

Illinois College Association Of Women



"I" Club





Eta Sigma, the campus chapter of Alpha Phi Omega National Service Fraternity, now the largest Greek letter fraternity in the world, has distinguished itself on the campus and in the community as well as within the national organization with a host of outstanding service projects and social events.

The chapter, under the leadership of Bill Mills, last spring completed its campus project of installing a much-needed electric bell system in buildings throughout the campus. Members also assisted in projects in the community by collecting clothes to be sold at a rummage sale sponsored by the Lions Club.

They also helped in erecting recreational equipment for a much-needed playground area in the city.

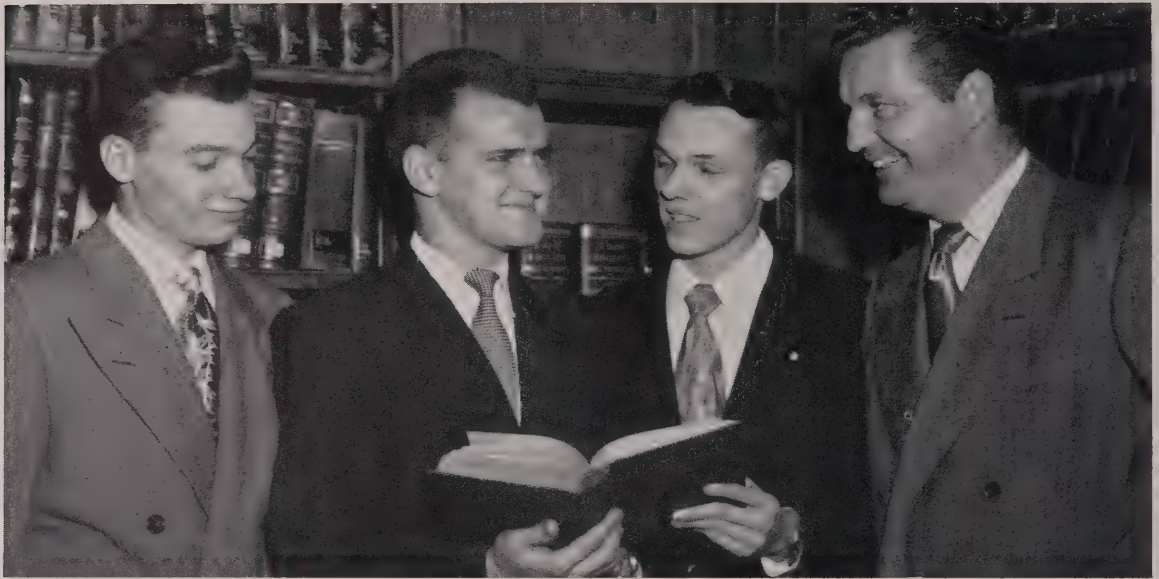
Eta Sigma took complete charge of Freshman week, their annual project of service to freshmen.

The large and outstanding float for the Queen of Homecoming was designed and built to enhance the festive spirit of Homecoming for the students and alumni of the college.

During the holiday vacation four delegates, Richard Leasenby, president of the chapter; Arthur Sam Moore, chief faculty advisor; Dick Gruny, and Larry Miller, attended the National Fraternity convention in Des Moines, Iowa.

Throughout the year the chapter has successfully striven to be of service to its members, to the college, to the community, and to the nation.

Economics Club



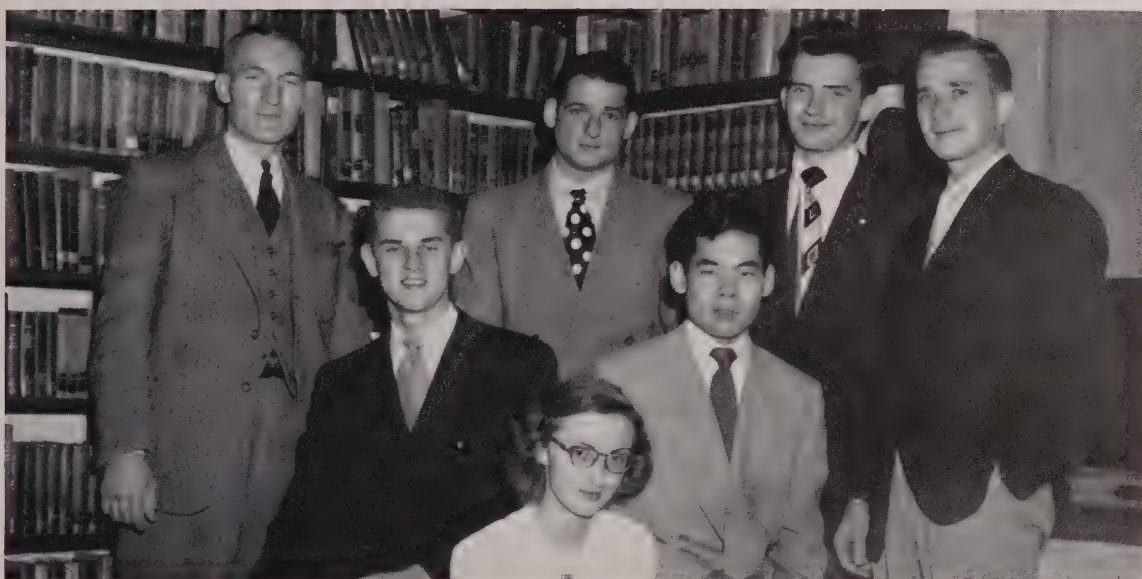
C. Kurtock, R. Scheller, L. Miller, E. Reven

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M. Cruse, F. Metzler, J. Sabado, C. Kurtock, M. Carlson, B. Query, A. Penewitt,
J. Laschinski, R. Leasenby

Philosophy Club



Mr. Stewart, R. Allin, V. Wilhoit, D. Rooth, R. Maeda, J. Stumpf, P. Roley

English Club



Seated: Miss Seybold, Miss Hastings, G. Miller, M. Gerra, J. Harber, Mrs. Reid

Standing: A. Miller, K. Merker, D. Atherton, P. Clavey, P. Stehman, V. Wilhoit, Mr. Frank, Mr. Ives

HILLTOPPERS

MEMBERS:

Joan Clymer
Flo Majewski
Donna Postlewaite
Betty Ross
Jo Tarro
Nancy Munk
Joe Baker

Mary Baker
Don Polzin
Robert Kunkel
Bill Mills
Robert Carpenter
Dick Robertson
Ed Horton
Harry LaTier

The Dramatic Club, founded in 1912, is known as the Hilltop Players. This group is guided by a board made up of the student officers and their faculty director, Octavia K. Frees. Membership is comprised of active and inactive members. Students applying for membership are inactive until they have completed a specified amount of work as members of play casts or production crews.

At their monthly meetings, Hilltop Players made plans for three productions which they present annually. New members were initiated at a formal initiation banquet in Baxter Hall in October.

The first play to be given this year was "I Remember Mama," a comedy centering around a Swedish family in San Francisco. The tragic and sometimes almost comical incidents made this an amusing play.

"Granite", a tragedy by Clemence Dane was the second production of the year. It was the story of Judith Morris, whose want for love and excitement ended in the Devil taking Judith as she had asked.

In the spring, the Ames Woodland Theatre was the scene of Shakespeare's immortal "Merchant of Venice."





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Middle Row: G. Cosbar, E. Rinne, B. Ross, B. Townsley, D. Postlewaite, N. Gibson, M. Virgin, M. Read, J. Dulen, B. Austin, C. Foreman, D. Spearman, J. Williams.

Back Row: L. Dewhirst, E. Anderson, R. Sparnicht, R. Grunty, R. Mills, F. Wittekind, R. George, F. Lubes, L. Miller, K. Bork, R. Byrd, L. McCulley.

The Illinois College Band



Downbeat, Maestro!





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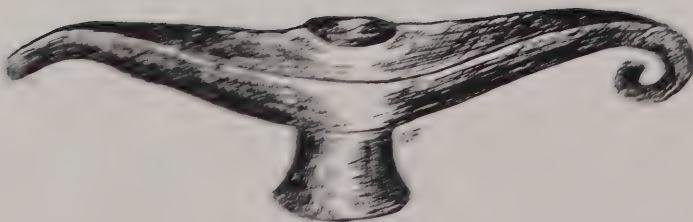
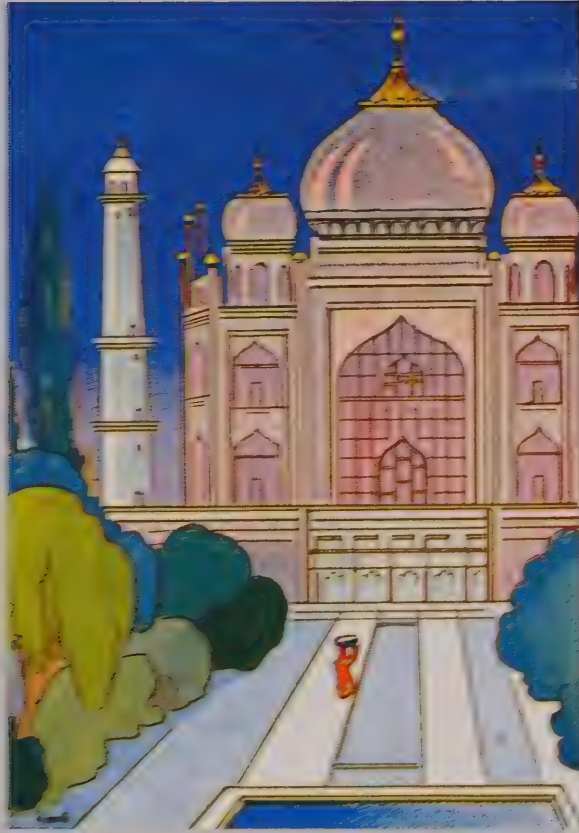


The staff of the 1951 Rig Veda in its effort at a strict interpretation of the yearbook name, has utilized the excellent color drawings of the staff of 1931. We only hope that our attempt at this theme will prove as successful as that of twenty years past.

The staff of this year's book is indeed indebted to the many students and faculty who have contributed time and interest toward the creation of this volume.

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ATHLETICS

*The Ball no question makes of Ayes and Noes,
But Here or There as strikes the Player goes;
And He that toss'd you down into the Field,
He knows about it all — HE knows — HE knows!*



FOOTBALL

Lake Forest 26

I. C. 13

I. C. opened the season by playing a home game against Lake Forest. The Blue Boys, beginning the season right, played an inspired ball game against a team that outmanned and outweighed them.

Highlighting the game was Blue Boy halfback Don Smith who made a 64 yard run in the second quarter to score I. C.'s lone first half touchdown. Lake Forest, meanwhile, scored two touchdowns in the first half.

Early in the second half, I. C. marched 46 yards to tie the score 13-13. But the visitors, aided by two successful 15-yard penalties and two pass interceptions, were able to come back and score two touchdowns in the third and fourth quarters to win the ball game.

Wabash 14

I. C. 7

For their second football game the Blue Boys journeyed to Indiana to play Wabash College.

Although the Little Giants of Wabash were favored to win by three touchdowns, the Blue Boys advanced the ball into enemy territory on numerous occasions only to have brilliant runs nullified by penalties.

Wabash scored their first touchdown in the first quarter on the longest sustained drive of the day, marching 56 yards via a 25-yard pass.

The Blue Boys, not to be outdone, scored in the second quarter on a pass from Grove to Christison. Scheller kicked the extra point to tie the score.

In the fourth quarter a Wabash pass interception on the I. C. 30-yard line set up the Little Giants final tally.

I. C. 27

Eureka 0

The Blue Boys chose Eureka as their foes for their Homecoming game. The expectant Homecoming crowd saw the Blue Boys display a fine brand of heads-up football to score their second win of the season.

I. C. scored twice in the first ten minutes. Gross scored first on a line plunge. Then on the kickoff, Eureka fumbled and Van Winkle recovered. The Blue Boys opened an aerial attack then and marched the ball to the 10-yard line. Grove carried the ball over on the next play. I. C.'s remaining two touchdowns came in the second quarter, on a run by Grove and a pass from Gross to end Chapman.

I. C. 18

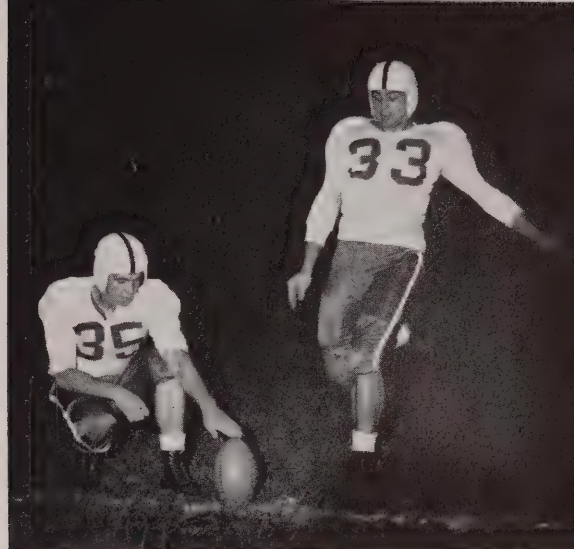
McKendree 12

I. C. scored their third win of the season by defeating the Bear Cats on the McKendree home field.

I. C. scored early in the first quarter. Grove passed to Chapman while Smith faked a line plunge, and Chapman crossed the goal standing up.

In the second stanza left halfback Don Smith smashed through the line for another touchdown. Later in the second quarter, I. C. again scored, this time on a pass from Grove to Christison. The half time score was I. C. 18, McKendree 6.

In the second half the Bear Cats fought back in an attempt to win their Homecoming game. I. C. was held scoreless while McKendree proceeded to score on a 64-yard downfield march. Then in the closing minutes of the final period, they again marched to the I. C. 4-yard line but alert Pete Larsen intercepted a pass and carried the ball to the 20-yard line to put I. C. out of danger. I. C. held the ball until time ran out.



Wesleyan 21

I. C. 2

Still plagued by the absence of many injured first team players, I. C. proved to be no match for the hard-running attack of the Titans.

Wesleyan scored their first touchdown in the first period. The hard-playing Blue Boy guard Bob Brand charged through the Titan line later in the same quarter and dropped the Wesleyan ball carrier behind the goal line, for the Blue Boys lone two points.

In the final period the Blue Boys opened up with an aerial attack which proved good for yardage, but never enough to produce a touchdown.

Millikin 47

I. C. 7

The Big Blue of Millikin proved to be more than the I. C. Blue Boys could cope with.

I. C., playing without the services of most of their first string backfield and on a muddy field, just couldn't get started.

The second quarter proved to be the most disastrous. Millikin intercepted three I. C. passes in that quarter and scored three times following these interceptions.

The Blue Boys only score came in the fourth quarter on a pass from Larsen to Gross who ran 25 yards for the touchdown.

I. C. 13

Elmhurst 6

The I. C. Blue Boys won their first C. C. I. conference game by defeating the Elmhurst Blue Jays in a hard fought battle.

Elmhurst never advanced their own 39-yard line in the first quarter. I. C., meanwhile scored on an 8-yard pass from Scheller to Christison after a previous Scheller to Harshman pass had advanced the ball to the 7-yard line.

The Blue Boys' second touchdown came in the final minutes of the game on a run by Pete Larsen by way of left tackle to break a 6-6 deadlock score.

Wheaton 17

I. C. 7

A game but out-manned I. C. grid force almost upset the C. C. I. picture at the last moment before bowing to mighty Wheaton.

The I. C. defense showed how rough going they could make it, on the conference champion Wheaton team.

I. C. set up their one touchdown on two passes by Smith, one to Harshman good for twenty yards, and one to Tom Gray which carried the ball to the Wheaton 5-yard line. Smith scored an a line plunge from the one-yard line.

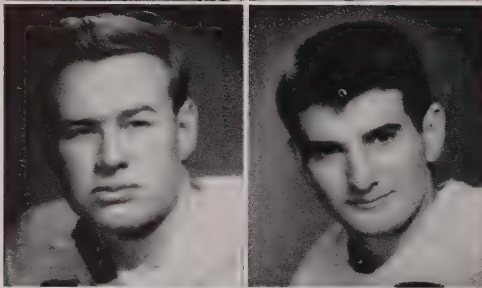
Wheaton's two-platoon system, however, proved to be the deciding factor as the Blue Boys defense weakened in the final minutes of the game.



Russell Alexander

Letterman — Right HB

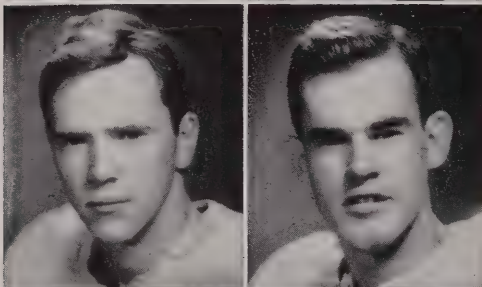
Sophomore Georgetown



Dave Billings

Letterman — Left HB

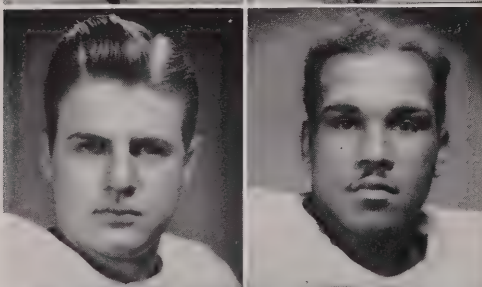
Senior Danville



Bob Brand

Letterman — Tackle

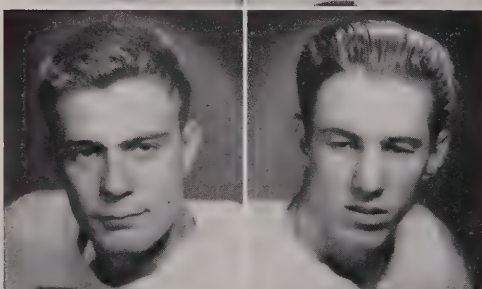
Senior Jacksonville



Dale Cain

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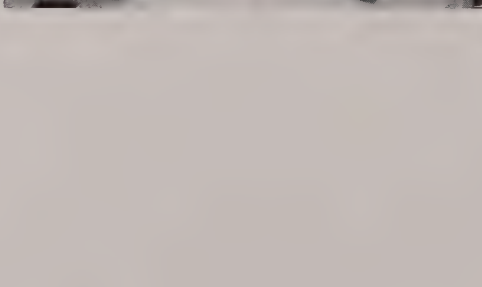
Freshman Penfield



Roger Chapman

End

Sophomore Springfield



Ralph Christison

Letterman — End

Junior White Hall



Duane Gronau

Guard

Junior Rockford

George Florence

Letterman — Guard

Sophomore Jacksonville

Dick Grimm

Guard

Sophomore Chicago

Tom Gray

Left HB

Freshman Ashkum

Bill Gross

Letterman — Fullback

Senior

Danville

Bob Harshman

Letterman — End

Senior

Pittsfield

John Kochvar

Letterman — Tackle

Sophomore

Westville

Paul Lasley

Letterman — Tackle

Junior

Jacksonville

Pete Larson

Right Half

Freshman

Springfield

Bill Long

Center

Freshman

Georgetown

Bill Mathews

Letterman — Guard

Senior

Chicago

Charles McKenzie

Letterman — Fullback

Sophomore

Georgetown

Art Pierard

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Sophomore

Gillespie

Bob Scheller

Letterman — QB

Senior

Chicago

Ralph Thompson

Tackle

Junior

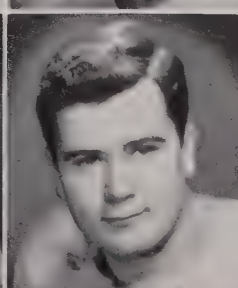
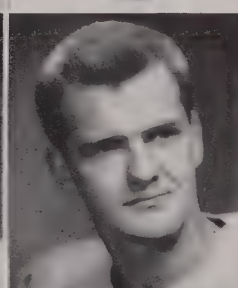
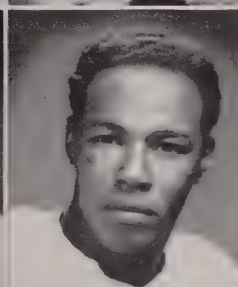
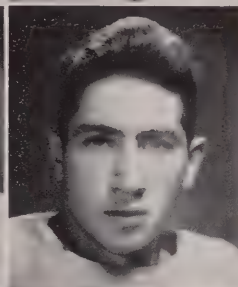
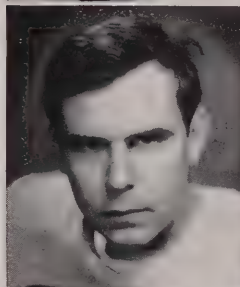
Roseville

Gerry Van Winkle

Center

Freshman

Carlinville



BASKETBALL

The I. C. basketball team under the able guidance of coaches Al Miller and Joe Brooks concluded a successful basketball season this year. With the return of eight lettermen with seasoned experience and with the addition of two capable freshmen to round out the team, the Blue Boys lost no time in proving themselves a strong contender for the C. C. I. crown.

I. C. won their first three games at the expense of Kirksville, Mo.; Texas College and Wheaton. Against the highly rated Wheaton club the Blue Boys played what could probably be considered their best ball game. Bob Grove took scoring honors for the game with his 30-point total. The scoring of Vilk, Billings and Gross also contributed heavily to the win. The slow, deliberate type of offense employed by the Blue Boys slowed down the fast-breaking type of ball that Wheaton liked to play.

The Blue Boys' first conference defeat came from Lake Forest. Playing on the opponents' floor, the Blue Boys starting team dwindled in numbers as one by one they fouled out of the game.

The Blue Boys then journeyed to Bloomington to oppose a strong Wesleyan team. The Blue Boys held a 29-27 halftime lead, but Wesleyan sparked by Winkles, closed the gap early in the second half and went on to win their third league victory.

The Blue Boys then returned home to play Millikin. The I. C. quintet gave a good account of themselves by leading the scoring most of the game. The half time score saw I. C. leading by 4 points, 25-21. I. C. in the closing minutes of the third quarter and the opening minutes of the fourth quarter caught fire and went ahead 46-36. Because such stalwarts as Bill Gross and Barney Vilk were handicapped by four personal fouls each, Coach Miller instructed the Blue Boys to play possession basketball. Then the entire complexion of the game changed in a few seconds. Millikin closed the gap quickly and a basket by all-conference guard, Scott Steagall, knotted the count 48-48 with two minutes of action remaining. Gross and Kowe for Millikin each made baskets and the score was again knotted. Then Steagall again scored and with less than a minute to go Steagall was awarded two free throws making both good as the game ended.

I. C. next played Augustana only to lose their fourth conference tilt. Suffering from on-the-road maladies, the Millermen lagged 42-31 at half time. However, sparked by Bob Grove, an I. C. rally closed the gap

only to be three points behind when the game ended. Grove scored 26 points, Gross scored 15, and Vilk 14 to lead the I. C. scoring.

The Blue Boys returned home to play McKendree in a non-conference game. The Blue Boys couldn't get their aim on their basket. The game saw McKendree ahead 57-50 half way through the second period. Grove fouled out with six minutes left in the game. The Blue Boys trailed 60-56 with three minutes to go when Gross fouled out. O'Leary tied the score on a drive in a lay-up shot.

In the wild action that ensued, the Blue Boys found themselves in possession of the ball with about 50 seconds remaining. I. C. held the ball until only three seconds to go when Vilk scored on a ten-foot jump shot to give the Blue Boy quintet a two-point victory.

I. C.'s fourth conference victory was over North Central 69-62. The point-making firm of Grove and Gross clicked again. Gross scored 26 points and Grove 23. The Blue Boys lagged behind most of the game, but knotted the game 30-30 at the halftime. North Central forged ahead again in the second half only to see the Blue Boys tie the score at 57-57. Then Billings and Grove combined their talents to put I. C. ahead and go on to win 69-62.

Illinois College lost the final game of the season, a conference game against Wesleyan, 71-67. Playing before a packed crowd, the Blue Boys gave the Titans a close game. The score was tied at 39-all in the second period. With eight minutes left in the game, Gross fouled out with Wesleyan leading 58-51. Then a last minute I. C. rally was hampered when DeGroot and Cain fouled out. Vilk and Ray G. hit from the floor to bring the locals up to within two points of the Titans 69-67. Sturgeon connected on a pair of free throws to increase Wesleyan's final lead, 71-67.

The Blue Boys ended the season with an overall record of 13 wins and 10 losses and a conference record of four wins and six losses.

This was the last game for seniors Bill Gross, Bob Grove, Dave Billings and Barney Vilk. The I. C. quintet had the honor of being the only team to place three men among the 15 top scorers of the conference. Grove and Gross took over fifth and sixth place while Vilk finished up eleventh. These players will rightfully be missed on next year's team.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

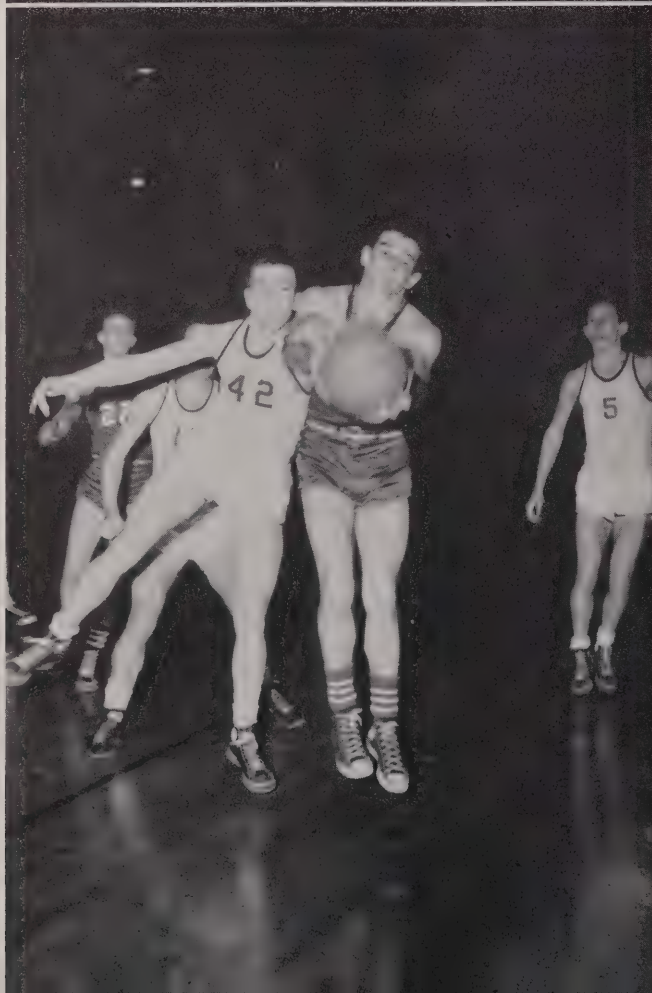
Illinois College	Opponents	Where Played	I. C.	Score	Location
I. C.	53	Kirksville	44	Home	
I. C.	89	Texas College...	69	Home	
I. C.	53	Central College..	66	Away	
I. C.	48	Kirksville	67	Away	
I. C.	58	New Mexico	56	Home	
I. C.	70	Carthage	48	Ill. Col. Holiday	
I. C.	52	Wabash	50	Tourney	
I. C.	50	Quincy	71	Away	
I. C.	70	*Elmhurst	59	Home	
I. C.	83	*Wheaton	62	Home	
I. C.	75	Central College .	65	Home	
I. C.	77	McKendree	70	Away	
I. C.	59	*Lake Forest	86	Away	
I. C.	58	*Wesleyan	69	Away	
I. C.	50	*Millikin	54	Home	
I. C.	46	Concordia (St. L.)	65	Away	
I. C.	56	Quincy	58	Home	
I. C.	69	*Augustana	72	Away	
I. C.	73	*Carthage	62	Home	
I. C.	69	*North Central ..	62	Home	
I. C.	65	Eureka	55	Away	
I. C.	62	McKendree	60	Home	
I. C.	59	*Millikin	91	Away	
I. C.	67	*Wesleyan	71	Home	

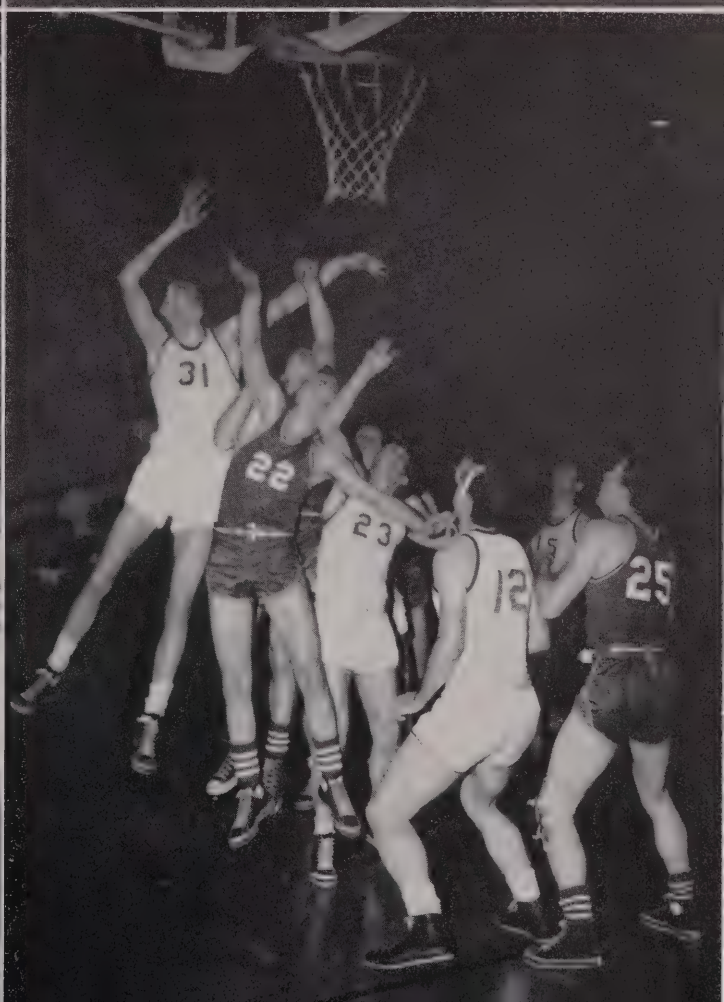
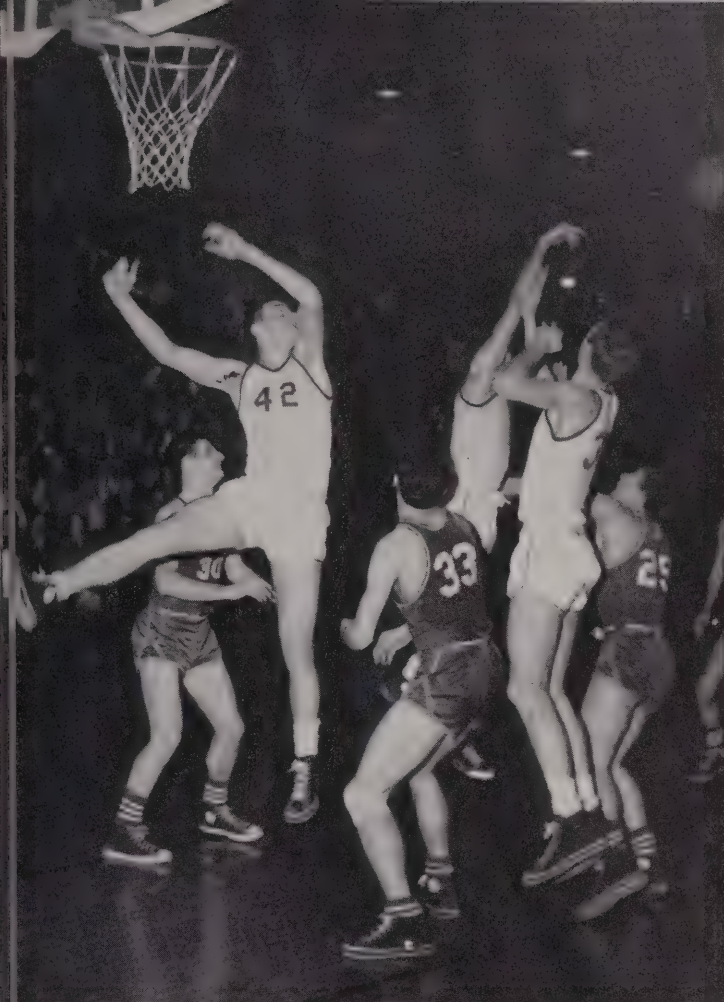
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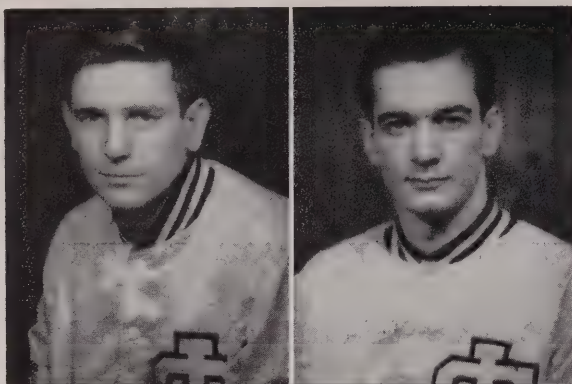
Back Row: A. Miller, Coach; Jack O'Leary; Ray Gwozdziejewicz; Ralph Christison; J. Brooks, Assistant Coach; John Kochvar, Manager.

Front Row: Bob Grove; Barney Vilk; Bill Gross; Howie DeGroot; Dale Cain









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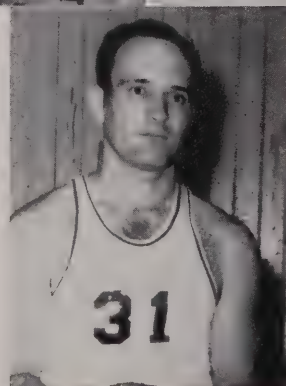
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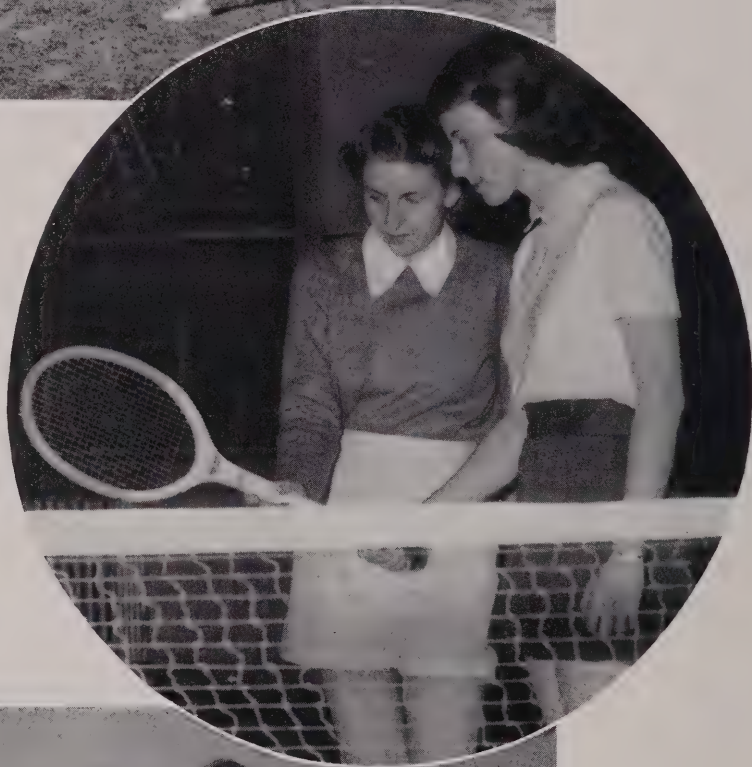
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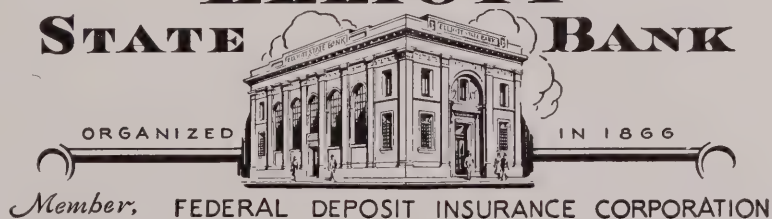


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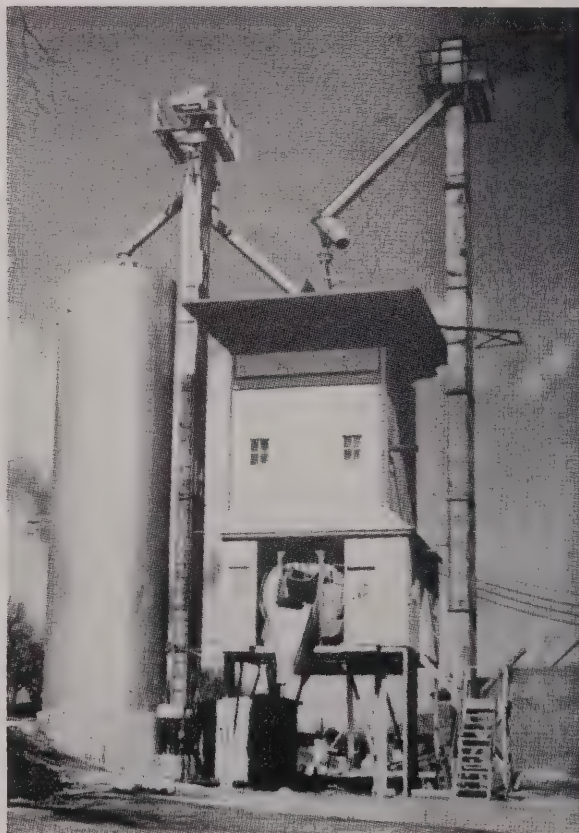
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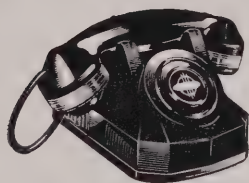
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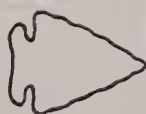


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